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PERSONAL.

ANNIE CARROLL WAS EMPLOYED AS CHAMBERMAID at the Western Hotel, this city, about five years ago. Any person knowing her present address will confer a favor by communicating same to J. H., Herald office.

AFFLICTION.—A FINE, HEALTHY BOY, TWO MONTHS old, blue eyes, can be adopted in consequence or his mother's death. Address AFFLICTION, Herald office.

CHICAGO SUFFERER & CO.—WAS MY APPOINTment inconvenient? If so, please appoint for next week. Address FIFTY CENTS AND FOURTEENTH STREET, Herald office.

CATHERINE MEHEATON, FORMERLY IN THE LAUNdry business, will hear of something to her advantage by communicating her address to PATRON, Herald office.

HOTEL ZUR SONNE, OTTENDORF—MARY, I WOULD like to hear from you through Personals. FRANZ.

INFORMATION WANTED—OF SAMUEL TORREBIA Grasse, who left his home in College Point, July 20, 1862, aged 15 years. Any information concerning him will be thankfully received by his mother, Mrs. Brown. Address Mrs. E. C. CRUMMELS, College Point, Long Island.

IF MRS. LIZZIE COINTON WILL CALL ON WAYDELL & CO., 21 Old slip, she will hear of something to her advantage from Cuba.

LETTERS RECEIVED—ALL IS ENDED BETWEEN US now; yours I can never be. Send me no more letters, for I shall not read them. Yes, I am happy; he knows all. TRUTH.

MRS. SUSIE M. PERKINS WILL FIND A LETTER TO her address at the Astor House.

VINEGAR BITTERS—I CONSENT TO THE POSTPONEment you asked for. Letter for you at the old place.

WILL NELLIE CLARK, WHO LIVED AT THE OLD Blackstone House, Boston, two or three years ago, send an address to an old friend who is very anxious to see her. Address GEORGE, box 48 Herald office.

WILL MADAME W., FORMERLY OF 102 EAST SEVENteenth street, send address to HENRI, Herald office?

?—THE NAME WHICH ONLY WAS ASKED, BUT was refused, will now be sought elsewhere; at present nothing further.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—NEAR THE CORNER OF SIXTH AVENUE AND Forty-sixth street, a dark Mink Boa. The finder will receive a liberal reward at 20 West Forty-sixth street.

LOST—A LARGE GOLD LOCKET, MONOGRAM R. S. on front, and lady's picture inside. Finder will be suitably rewarded by returning same to 69 Warren street.

LOST—AN ACCOUNT BOOK, CONTAINING BILLS and business cards of the owner. A liberal reward will be paid for its return at southwest corner Second avenue and Fifty-fourth street.

LOST—A BLUE OR SLATE COLORED SCOTCH TERrier, with a red collar, called Dan. A very liberal reward will be paid for his recovery at 39 Lafayette place.

LOST—ON MONDAY LAST, ABOUT 1 O'CLOCK P. M., at the corner of University place and Twelfth street, a black and tan bitch; answers to the name of Topsy. A liberal reward will be paid on its return to 110 West Forty-fourth street.

PICKED UP ADRIFT, LAST NIGHT, NEAR HELL Gate, a Raft of Timber, which owner can have by paying expenses. Apply to GEORGE S. TOWNSEND, pier 52 East River.

New York, Feb. 29, 1872.

SAVINGS BANK BOOK LOST.—BOOK NO. 10,538, IN account with the Provident Institution for Savings in Jersey City, lost on the 12th inst.; payment stopped at the bank and an application made for new book. The finder will leave the book at the bank or with CAROLINE and JOHN HAUTH, 17 Essex street, New York.

STOLEN—FROM PIER 37 EAST RIVER, BETWEEN Thursday and Saturday evening, eight barrels of Molasses. Any information will be suitably rewarded at 52 South street.

REWARDS.

$5 REWARD FOR THE RETURN OF MINK FUR Boa to 19 Lewis street, last Saturday night.

$10 REWARD.—LOST, A GOLD MEDAL WITH THE inscription, viz., "Presented to David Stone by friends." Be returning same to 277 Broadway above record will be paid by STONE & WOLFE.

DETECTIVES, COX & KING, 72 BROADWAY AND 11 Nassau street, established 1850, furnish only reliable and experienced operatives. Branch offices in Chicago and St. Louis. Correspondents in all principal cities and Europe.

DETECTIVES—DUDLEY & JONES, NO. 8 FINE street, rooms 16 and 18, furnish nothing but reliable men for service in all kinds of private business. Correspondents in all principal cities.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

ALL PERSONS WHO ARE INSURED IN GOOD Companies, and who do not desire to remember the anniversary of an adverse date, can, however, be reminded of the policies by applying at Insurance Agency, 87 Liberty street.

ALL PERSONS ARE HEREBY FORBID HARBORING or trusting any of the crew of the British ship Lord Worsley, Cary, master, from Liverpool, as no debts of their contracting will be paid by the master or consignees.
A. A. LOW & BROTHERS.

A LADY, OR GENTLEMAN GOING BY STEAMER to California, or whose business takes them that way, will please address CARLES, Herald Uptown Branch, 1,265 Broadway.

ADVERTISING NEW YORK NEWSPAPER LINES, at agency of 200 newspapers in New England, New York, New Jersey, &c. Advertisements and contracts received for catalogues and estimates, or call at Park row, where lists may be seen and contracts made.

OFFICIAL DRAWINGS
KENTUCKY STATE LOTTERIES.
CONSTITUTIONAL CLASS, FEBRUARY 28, 1872.
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Tickets and shares for sale at Managers' office, 607 Broadway, Louisville, Ky. Prize office, 308 Broadway.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE LATE John Kaiser, Sr., are hereby notified to present the same to JOHN KAISER, Jr., Administrator, 67 avenue B.

A.—ROYAL HAVANA LOTTERY OF CUBA AND Kentucky State Lotteries. Official drawings of above always on file. J. CLUTZ, Broker, 305 Broadway, Post office box 4,969, 153 Fulton street and No. 2 Park row.

BOARD OF APPORTIONMENT AND AUDIT.—PUBLIC notice is hereby given, in conformity with section 2, chapter 9, of the laws of New York, enacted January 30, 1872, that an adjourned public meeting of the Board of Apportionment and Audit of the city and county of New York will be held in the office of the Comptroller of the city of New York, in the New York County Court House, Thursday afternoon, at three o'clock, the 8th day of February, 1872.
Dated NEW YORK, Feb. 29, 1872.
RICHARD A. STORRS,
Clerk Board of Apportionment and Audit.

EUREKA STEAM MACHINE CARVING COMPANY, 60, 62, 64 and 66 Cannon street.
Rosewood, walnut, oak and ash Ornaments.
Busts of all prominent men, &c.
Figure Carving a specialty.

HEALTH, COMFORT, RAPID AND EASY TRANSIT may be secured by living in Whitestone.—Buy a Lot and build where the work of street improvements is completed and free of assessment. Pay rent no longer. Be your own landlord. Call or send for maps or free tickets; take a ride on the best of railroads and view the property. It will cost you nothing, and prove a pleasant and profitable excursion. JOHNSON & MILLER, 25 Nassau street.

HAVANA LOTTERY.—THREE FIRST NUMBERS RECeived for February 24, by JOSEPH BATES, 194 Broadway, room 4.

MEARES' PARAGON SHIRTS.
Made to order, of best materials, and warranted to fit.
Sent by express, C. O. D., to any part of the country at the following rates:

6 Shirts, good muslin and linen fronts	$9 00
6 Shirts, better muslin and good linen	10 50
6 Shirts, Masonville muslin and fine linen	12 00
6 Shirts, Wamsutta muslin and very fine linen	13 50
6 Shirts, New York Mills and best linen	15 00

Directions for measurement sent on application.
RICHARD MEARES,
Sixth avenue and Nineteenth street, New York.

OLD SILK HATS MADE OVER INTO THE NEW style; Cassimere and Felt Hats Cleaned and Trimmed at JOHNSON'S, 1,235 Broadway, corner Thirty-first street.

STEAM VERSUS HORSE POWER.—WHY LIVE where you must travel on crowded horse cars, hanging to a strap or climbing to the platform, when you can ride in warm, luxurious cars, heated by steam, comfortably seated and reach your home refreshed in body and mind? Whitestone is only thirty minutes' ride over the best railroad running from New York. Procure free tickets at our office, go to Whitestone and you will certainly appreciate the advantages of steam communication over cars or stages.
JOHNSON & MILLER 25 Nassau street.

STONE QUARRY FOR SALE 15 ACRES FINE GRAY Granite; contains five million cubic yards, 60 feet water frontage. Apply to THOMAS IZOD, 51 Cortlandt street, corner Greenwich, room 1.

5 ANN STREET.—SHOW CARDS FOR EVERY BUSiness ready made and to order. Samples free to manufacturers and others using large quantities.
JOHN MULLEN.

$100,000 GOLD WAS DRAWN IN ROYAL Havana Lottery of Cuba, February 14. Ticket, Class 239, No. 3, 72, 9, drew $31,867. Address BALEY & CO., Gold established office, 174 Broadway.

SPORTING—DOGS, BIRDS, &C.

A.—FOR SALE—ALL KINDS OF FANCY DOGS, BIRDS, &c. Medicines for all diseases; prepared food for mocking birds, at B. G. DOVEY'S, No. 8 Greene street, near Canal.

FOR SALE—LARGE NEWFOUNDLAND DOG, TWO years old; weight 125 pounds; splendid watch dog; price $100. Address S. V. W., Herald office.

GRAND RAFFLE FOR A BREECH-LOADING SHOT Gun and breech-loading Rifle, at PAULMIER'S, 1,303 Broadway, to-night, at 8 o'clock.

REVOLVERS, GUNS, RIFLES, PISTOLS, &C., AT REduced prices. Ballard Rifles wholesale and retail. Guns and Pistols bought or exchanged.
GEORGE SMITH, 54 Chatham street.

HORSES, CARRIAGES, &C.

A GREAT, SPECIAL, PEREMPTORY, ABSOLUTE AND UNRESERVED SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION of fine, handsome, valuable and genuine trotting Horses, Carriages, Wagons, Harness, Blankets, Robes, &c., on FRIDAY, March 1, at 11 o'clock,
AT STABLE REAR OF 465 FIFTH AVENUE, CORNER THIRTY-SEVENTH STREET,
BY JAMES JENKINS, AUCTIONEER,
the whole the property of Colonel Washington Alexander, who is going abroad.
Including a fast and handsome roan Gelding, 15½ hands high, 8 years old, beautiful mane and tail; was purchased in New Orleans by Colonel Alexander, in 1869, after he had seen him trot a full mile on heavy track in 2:48; he has trotted repeatedly since below 2:45; has fine gait; finely built for speed; can speed a 2:40 gait on road; has never been trained to fully develop his speed, but can outspeed the most of the noted trotters on the road the present day; he is an excellent pole horse, afraid of nothing, and warranted sound and kind.
A very fast roan Trotting Mare, 6 years old, 15¾ hands high; trotted in 2:41; can pull a road wagon on day of sale in 2:35; no jugger or puller; free from vice or trick, and warranted sound and kind.
Handsome and fine Trotting Mare; color bay; 15½ hands high, 5 years old; raised in Vermont by Abel Van Houten, and when four years old trotted a half mile in 1:23. She is a very promising mare; has had but very little driving, but can go show 2:50 on day of sale, and warranted sound and kind.
Also fine black Trotting Horse, 15 hands high, 9 years old; can show 2:45; free and pleasant driver; no road too long for him, and warranted sound and kind.
Also one Rockaway, one Victoria, one Top Wagon, single and double Harness, Robes, Blankets, &c.
N. B.—The above sale was advertised to take place on Tuesday, 27th inst., but was postponed on account of some person putting a card in the paper, and striling himself Washington Alexandre, residing at Fifth Avenue Hotel, forbidding the sale. Inquiry has been made for the person who published the piece, and he is not to be known at the hotel and cannot be found in Directory. Any one knowing the person will be liberally rewarded by Washington Alexander, who will remain at stable as above this day, from 9 to 11 A. M. and 2 to 5 P. M., and at sale, Friday, for the benefit of persons desiring to inquire about the stock. Horses will be on exhibition until time of sale at stable as above.
JENKINS & DUFF, Auctioneers.

A.—AT WALDRON & COOKE'S
Down Town Horse Mart and Salesroom,
New Church street, between Liberty and Cedar streets,
THIS DAY, AT 12 O'CLOCK,
an auction sale
of superior work Horses,
including eight head of Horses, part of a consignment from Ohio; are all superior, fine, large workers, and warranted every way. The horses should be seen by any party wishing good work horses.
One pair bay carriage Horses, 16 hands, 6 and 7 years; elegant drivers in all harness; warranted sound and gentle.
Two express Horses, used in the city for a year and warranted good workers; set double Harness.
One bay mare Pony, 14½ hands; gentle for ladies' driving.
Two truck Horses, 16 hands; heavy and strong; good workers.
Five sets single Harness, two sets double Harness.
One double Truck and Harness.
Two sets cart Harness.
Other Horses, &c. Particulars at sale.

A.—SPEED.—SPEED.—SPEED.
The special attention of gentlemen is called to sale at public auction, on Thursday, this day, February 29, at Stable 43 Great Jones street, at 10½ prompt, of fine Horses; Brewster, of Broome street, Wagons, Harness, &c., formerly owned by Henry B. Conklin, late defaulter of the Market Bank.
BY JOHN L. VANDEWATER, AUCTIONEER.
Handsome jet black trotting Mare, 15¾ high, 7 years old, sired by Cassius M. Clay, Jr., dam by Star, was selected by George Allen in Orange county, when 5 years old; is fine, stylish and pleasant driver and can beat 2:40 or no sale; can speed a 2:30 gait, and warranted sound and kind.
The hands one and fast trotting Horse Billy Denton, sired by Ethan Allen, 15¼ high, 8 years old; has record of 2:33; can beat 2:35 now; is fine, stylish road Horse and is honest and amiable; warranted sound and kind.
The above two Horses make one of the finest and fastest teams in the country; they are styled, gaited and disposition alike and can beat 2:45 together.
Also one of the finest young Hambletonian trotting Horses in the country, 15¾ high, 7 years old; sired by Major Winfield, dam by Star; is known in Orange county as the Herring Colt; he trotted in 2:38¾ last fall; he is warranted to trot in 2:40, and warranted sound and kind.
Also exceedingly fine, large and handsome brown coupe Horse, Kentucky bred, 16¼ high, 7 years old; cannot be outstyled in New York; has been used as a wheler some in tandem.
Also fine chestnut thoroughbred Horse, 16 high, 6 years old; one of the finest and handsomest styled horses in the city; has been used as the leader in tandem.
Both these Horses are warranted sound and kind, their equal for style, beauty and symmetry is seldom seen.
Also Top Wagon by Brewster, pole and shafts, trotting Wagon by Hilton, fine Dog Cart and Tandem Harness; also single and double Harness by best makers.
This stock is all extra fine, and warranted in every particular as represented, and will positively be sold without limit or reservation.

AT THE AUCTION HOUSE OF
JOHNSTON & VAN TASSELL,
Office and Salesroom, 52 Nassau street,
opposite the Post office.

The Horse and Carriage business
of our business is conducted at our
Horse Auction Mart,
110, 112 and 114 East Thirteenth street, near Fourth avenue,
where we hold regular
Sales of Horses and Carriages
every TUESDAY and FRIDAY,
Gentlemen wishing to purchase, or those
having Horses or Carriages to sell, will find our house perfectly reliable, as we conduct the business on the same straightforward principles which govern responsible houses in all mercantile pursuits.
We give the purchaser of every Horse that is warranted sound from 24 to 48 hours trial.
Entrance to our Horse and Carriage Mart can be made at our office, 52 Nassau street, where we also keep a register of Horses for private sale.
Liberal advances made on consignments.

A VERY LARGE SELECTION OF PHAETONS, COUPE Rockaways, Park Phaetons, Depot Wagons, Road Engines and other responsible Family Carriages and light Wagons, lowest prices at sales.
WANTED BY PEOPLE'S UNION, 628 Broadway.

A FINE BAY MARE, SOUND, KIND AND TRUE; pole mare, strong for Wagon or Harness, almost new; a very safe investment, at 132 Wooster street, corner Prince.

A.—COUPES, CLARENCES, PHAETONS, BREITS, Rockaways, Coupes, Rockaways, &c., all styles and prices; great selection Wagons, Dearborns & Van Dyns, $100; Road Wagons, $125; Road Wagon, $75; Harness, from $5 up; Blankets, Robes, Whips, &c.
W. H. GRAY, 20 and 22 Wooster street.

ONE OF THE OLDEST HORSE BUSINESSES IN THE city offers a valuable stock, work from best class houses, cheap for cash. Address W., LLOYD, 29 Broadway, first floor.

A.—ELEGANT CLARENCE, ONE COUPE, ONE SIX seat Rockaway, one Coupe, one Jump Seat Phaeton, one Top Phaeton, one Top Rogers, all nearly new and sold with a guarantee; also one set single Harness and a set of pleasure Harness. Apply at C. CRILLY, 109, 111 and 113 East Thirteenth street, near Fourth avenue.

A BOARDING AND LIVERY STABLE CHANCE FOR a partner; a large business; good location and advantageous terms. Apply at 42 E. 13 B. TELLOWS, 218 Bowery street.

HORSES, CARRIAGES, &C.

A.—58 LIBERTY STREET.
Light Carriages and Harness.
Private salesroom for first class work.
Some very great bargains; slightly soiled top Buggies $150, Depot Wagons $100, Pony Phaeton $125, &c.
JOHNSTON & VAN TASSELL, 58 Liberty street.

A PONY PHAETON, $115; DOCTOR'S PHAETON, $40; Top Wagon, $75; one do., new, $155; Jagger Wagon, $100; Coupe Rockaway, $75; Express Wagon, $95; do., $90; Butcher Cart, $30; Express Harness, $20; light Harness, from $15 up; at 1,401 Broadway, near Forty-first street.

A.—ELEGANT ASSORTMENT OF HAM'S CELEbrated and popular patent Lap-robe Landau; full stock of seasonable Carriages 25 per cent less than Broadway stores. HAM'S, 10 East Fourth street.

A SECOND HAND SIX SEAT PHAETON, TWO SIX seat Rockaways, slide seat Buggy, four two seat no top Wagons, light Victoria, stylish Dog Cart; selling off to close business. TAYLOR'S, 59 Cedar street.

A LOT OF HORSES—JUST FROM THE COUNTRY, sold cheap or exchanged for Horses of less value; fit for carts, trucks, express, stevedore, or any business. Inquire at 641 Canal street, corner Washington.

A.—CARRIAGE REPOSITORY, 141 WEST BROADway.—Top and no top Buggies, Rockaways, Park and Pony Phaetons, Depot, Express and Business Wagons; either top Buggies, $140; all of our own manufacture.

A RARE CHANCE. NOBBY TURNOUT, $400, COST $864; Horse, extra stylish, kind, sound, paces fast; child can ride or drive; satisfactory trial; elegant top Wagon, Harness, &c. 252 West Fifty-first street.

A TEAM OF HORSES FOR SALE—GRAY AND black, 15½ hands, 7 years old; sound and kind; stylish drivers. Apply to owner, E. BRIGGS, 150 East Fifty-fifth st.

BROWN TROTTING MARE, 15 HANDS, TOP ROAD Wagon, Harness; stylish bay Horse, 15½ hands, Gig, Harness; a black Canadian Pony, 15½ hands. 413 West Thirteenth street near Ninth avenue.

CARRIAGES.—GREAT REDUCTION; PRICES UNEqualled; examination solicited; to particularize unnecessary; assortment unsurpassed, from Pony Phaetons to Clarences; large number second hand, cheap. WITTY'S Manufactory, Nevins and Fulton streets, Brooklyn.

CHILDREN'S ESTABLISHMENT FOR SALE—PONY, 6 years old, 44 inches high, warranted sound and kind, and can be used by a child 6 years old; also Wagon and Harness for four children. Apply at 161 East Twenty-eighth st.

EXPRESS ROUTE, HORSE, HARNESS, WAGON AND plenty of work; sickness cause of selling; must sell this week. Inquire at 354 Canal street, in lager beer saloon.

FOR SALE—AT A SACRIFICE, EXTRA HANDSOME and stylish dark bay Gelding, 15½ high, 6 years old; can trot in road wagon in 2:45; is without spot or blemish; can be driven by the most timid lady; must be seen and rode after to be appreciated; also Top Skivers Wagon, nearly new; Dimmocomb Harness, Robes and Blankets. Call on F. L. BESSON, Coleman House, Broadway and Twenty-seventh street.

FOR SALE—SORREL HORSE, 6 YEARS OLD, 16 hands high, sound and kind, $180; bay Horse, $125; sold for want of use. Inquire at 313 West Fortieth street.

FOR SALE—TWO CANADIAN PONIES, FROM 14½ to 15 hands; sound and kind; heavy blacks; sold for half value; price from $365 to $100. 204 West Sixteenth street, near seventh avenue.

FOR SALE—AN ELEGANT CLARENCE, ALMOST ALL new wheels and painting; never been used; speaking tube, glass, three portfolios, ivory card case, bell, slip linings, &c.; all in perfect order; price $500. Call at or address 133 East Sixteenth street.

FOR SALE—A LOT OF GOOD WORK HORSES, JUST arrived from the country, suitable for all purposes; to be sold cheap. Apply at 36 Wooster street, near Spring.

FOR SALE—A FINE BLACK HORSE, CHEAP.—128 Ninth avenue.

FOR SALE—A HORSE, TRUCK AND HARNESS; sold separately or together; reason for selling, the want of use; at a sacrifice. 73 Vandam street, near Hudson.

FOR SALE—ONE FURNITURE TRUCK, ONE DOUBLE Truck, three Coaches, three sets double Harness, nearly new. Inquire at 189 South Fifth avenue.

FOR SALE—TEAM OF BAY HORSES, 15¾ HANDS high, 8 years old; sound and kind; one Brett, in good order; one Cesne, in good order; to close the estate of a deceased gentleman. To be seen at 127 East Fifty-third street.

FOR SALE—A NICE BLACK HORSE, LIGHT WORK, $85; Riding Saddle, cost $22, price $8; a set of Rockaway Harness, $13; a Road Wagon, $30. 245 West Twenty-sixth street.

FOR SALE CHEAP—A GOOD STRONG HORSE, SUITable for the country; also two nice top Wagons; price $75 each. Inquire at 512 West Sixteenth street.

GREAT BARGAINS.—SECOND HAND PONY PHAEton, Rockaway, Park Phaeton, slightly soiled; Brewster Dog Cart, Coupe Rockaway, Depot Wagon, Business Wagon, new Carriages; reduced prices.
MANUFACTURERS' UNION, 628 Broadway.

HARNESS WANTED—SET SINGLE ROAD HARNESS; must be in good order and city made. Address, with price and maker's name, N., box 5,959 Post office.

HORSES.—A HANDSOME TEAM OF SORREL HORSES, well matched, 2,700 pounds, 16½ hands, 7 and 8 years; sound and kind in all harness; one cheap Horse, suitable for grocer. 860 Greenwich street.

LIVERY STABLE FOR SALE—THE STOCK AND Lease; doing an active and profitable business; location unsurpassed; accommodation for 40 horses. Inquire at WITTY'S carriage manufactory, Fulton and Nevins streets, Brooklyn.

SECOND HAND CLOSE PANEL COACH FOR SALE.—Apply to W. H. RODE, 21 East Twelfth street. Can be seen until sold.

TO BUSINESS MEN.—A PONY BUILT MARE, 15 hands, 6 years old; excellent for road or any business, together with city made road Wagon, Harness, &c.; price $300. P. B. MASTERSON, Fifty-ninth street and Seventh avenue.

WANTED—A SECOND HAND PONY PHAETON; ALSO a light two-wheel Dog Cart. Address for two days BARRINGTON, box 163 Herald Uptown Branch office, 1,265 Broadway.

WANTED—A SECOND HAND ROCKAWAY COUPE; must be in good order and at moderate price. Address R., box 2,982 Post office.

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ANDREW H. GREEN, Comptroller.
CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, February 23, 1872.

PARTIES HOLDING THE STOCKS OF

LANDMARKS PASSING AWAY.

The Old North Dutch Church To Be Torn Down.

The Ground Leased for Commercial Purposes—History of the Church—Its Pastors—What John Harpending, Tanner and Currier, Did—The Fulton Street Prayer Meeting.

At noon Tuesday there gathered at one end of the extensive Exchange salesroom, No. 111 Broadway, around the platform and desk of well-known auctioneers, a throng of gentlemen who soon became deeply interested in the business of the moment. This was none other than the sale of a lease of the ground on which the old North Dutch church stands, at the corners of Fulton, William and Ann streets, for the term of twenty-one years from the 1st of May next, with covenants for two renewals of twenty-one years each. Many old gentlemen, with hair like the driven snow and faces wrinkled with age, stood among those with countenances denoting the men of active pursuits in life, and evinced no little concern as the conditions upon which the lease was to be sold were read to the assembled. These were that the old building and all its materials and furniture, excepting the organ, cushions, pulpit, corner stone and property found therein, should belong to the lessee; that no church, charitable institution, theatre, restaurant, brewery, blacksmith shop, nor place to dispense intoxicating liquors should be erected thereon; that, in a word, business not a nuisance to the neighborhood should or there carried on, the lease to be signed and delivered on the 6th of March and possession given the 25th following. With this understanding, after much delay on the part of the gentlemen, a bid of $1 000 was made by the auctioneer for the trustees, which was followed by $14,100 by a large real estate owner. Then $14,200, $14,300 quickly came from the bidders; but here it hung fire, and the auctioneer made his final bid for the trustees, $14,400. Another long delay and no advance being vouchsafed, the right to buy the lease at auction was withdrawn. Later in the day, however, it was ascertained that the trustees were

PRIVATELY NEGOTIATING

for the sale of the lease on their terms, and that it would be consummated before yesterday. This settles the fate of the old North Dutch church, one of the few relics left of our city's early history. Nearly all the old landmarks contemporaneous with it and the houses of worship built earlier by the same religious people have disappeared. The original fort on the battery; the first Stadt House, at the head of Coenties slip; the Cingle, or wall that shut out the Indians and gave the name to Wall street; the modest wooden church on the site of stately Trinity; the quaint old shops in Broad street, with their slip-ladder gables and their five-by-six diamond-shaped panes of glass—all these went long before it, and soon the Titanic strides of commerce will build up the depopulated district with

SPLENDID MARTS OF BUSINESS.

Early in the year 1767 measures were taken to build this church, and in June following it was resolved that it "should be erected on the grounds of Mr. John Harpending; that it should be 100 feet in length and 70 feet in breadth; that it should front Horse and Cart lane, and be placed in the middle of the lot." Mr. Harpending, or, as he wrote his name, Herbendinck, was a worthy currier and tanner of that day, and an excellent and influential, though aged, member of the church, who frequently officiated as elder and deacon. He was a liberal benefactor of this religious society, both in life and at his death. Horse and Cart lane, now known as William street, derived its name from a tavern built in the vicinity of the sacred edifice, having the sign emblazoned with a horse and cart, and, probably, in its time carbines were in the habit of resorting to this place. The population of the city was now pressing slowly towards the locality which became sparsely settled, yet with a continual increase. The corner stone was laid July 2, 1767, by Mr. James Roosevelt, chairman of the Building Committee, and the work was vigorously prosecuted.

In March of the next year it was found that funds were wanting. The Consistory ordered a loan of £2,000 to be made, but this was not done until they had carefully examined and approved a calculation by which it was shown that certain measures to be adopted would enable them to discharge principal and interest in the space of six years. It would have been well if all their successors in office had, when contracting a debt, used the same wise precautions. Eight months afterwards it was found that £1,500 more were needed, and this sum was borrowed on the same conditions as the former. By the month of March, 1769, however, the building began to approach completion. The pillars, it is understood, were erected by the special contribution of individuals, each of whom was permitted to have his initials inscribed on the band under the capital. There are ten of these, but seven only can be made out, viz.—John Zaricke, John De La Montagne, Stephen Ramaye, John De Peyster, Jr., John Byvanck and Cornelis Walton. A copy of the Harpending arms was ordered to be made and hung over the pulpit, where it now is. The motto inscribed on this,

"DANDO CONSERVAT,"

conveyed the sentiment that the best means of securing and giving permanence to their property was to devote it to benevolent uses. On Monday, May 22, 1769, a modest notice in the New York *Gazette*, a weekly newspaper then published in this city, announced that on the ensuing Thursday, the new edifice erected by the Reformed Protestant Dutch Church would be opened for public worship, by the Rev. Archibald Laidlie. Accordingly, on that day, in the presence of a large audience, in which the civil authorities were conspicuously represented, Dr. Laidlie pronounced a dedicatory discourse from the words, "But the hour cometh, and now is, when the true worshippers shall worship the Father in spirit and in truth, for the Father seeketh such to worship him." (John iv., 23). The discourse is not extant, but one of the original hearers described it as unloading in a very satisfactory way "wherein the Gospel doctrine consists," which we may well believe when we consider the fruitfulness of the text and the gifts and piety of the preacher.

The houses of worship in the city at the opening of the North Dutch church were the First Presbyterian, in Wall street, near Broadway, built in 1719; the Jewish synagogue, in Mill street, built in 1729; the Episcopal St. George's chapel, in Beekman street, built in 1752; the Moravian church, in Fulton, between Nassau and William streets, built in 1752; the Scotch Presbyterian church, in Cedar street, near Broadway, built in 1756; the German Reformed church, in Nassau, below John street, built in 1765; the German Lutheran church, corner of William and Frankfort streets, erected in 1767; St. Paul's Episcopal church, on Broadway, erected in 1766; the Brick Presbyterian church, erected on a lot presented by the corporation of the city, "the Dutch," opened in 1767; the Baptist church, in Gold, between Fulton and John streets, built in 1769; the first Methodist church in America, built in John street, in 1768. Besides these there was a small Friends' or Quaker meeting house.

The old building figured conspicuously during the Revolutionary struggle. Not long after the breaking out of the war the British gained possession of the city, and those who were favorable to the American cause, with their families, sought refuge and sojourned, during the war, in different places in the country. With almost solitary exceptions, the congregation was strongly united in the

CAUSE OF INDEPENDENCE,

and was scattered around. During the occupation by the British several of the churches, especially where the congregations generally espoused the cause of freedom, were sadly deserted and abused. Very conspicuous among these were the Middle and North Reformed Dutch churches. The Middle church was used as a prison, and afterwards as a riding school for the British officers and soldiers, and became the scene of habitual revelry, profanity and dissipation. The whole of the interior, galleries and all, was destroyed, leaving the bare walls and roof. The North church was used as a hospital and for storage. The lower part was stripped of the pews, pulpit, etc., and the walls were much defaced, but otherwise the building preserved the general character and aspect it originally possessed, and which it still retains. Those acquainted with the annals of our revolutionary history will doubtless recall the atrocities and cruelties committed by the British upon those in possession of the city of New York. The churches, the sugar houses, the prison ships and the thousands of Americans who fell victims to disease, hunger and cruelty, and perished by hundreds on the shores of Long Island, recall to the mind an appalling memorial of this. Just previous to the Revolutionary War a new and very neat pulpit was placed in the North church. After it was taken away no traces of it could be found. Some time after the close of the war a citizen of New York was in Europe, and, worshipping on a Sabbath day in a country church, his attention was directed to the pulpit as strongly resembling the pulpit taken from this church. A gentleman, to whom he stated this after service, learned that it probably was the same, as it had been brought over to America during the Revolutionary War in a British ship.

The edifice occupied New York in November, 1836, and in September, 1858, the church

HAVING BEEN REORGANIZED

by public subscription, was formally reopened by a sermon from the Rev. Dr. Livingston. In November, 1866, Dr. William Long was called to his assistance, and for twenty years this gentleman preached in this church, and there are many persons still living who can distinctly remember the unwearied zeal of his ministry. Two of his greatest sermons were delivered, one in 1863, on the occasion of Washington's birthday, and the other at the request of the Hibernian Society, July 4, 1870, which was considered to have been a powerful appeal. Many other celebrated divines have occupied the pulpit of the North Dutch Church since that time, foremost among who are the names of Dr. John Knox, Dr. Paschal, Nelson Strong, and, of more recent days, Drs. De Witt and Chambers.

The two cannons which now stand at either corner of the church inclosure on William street were fired when the British fleet attacked the city, but no record of the reason why they were put in this place they now occupied is known to exist. One of the cannon is surmounted by a cannon ball, which has a singular history. It is said that during

THE BOMBARDMENT OF NEW YORK

by some British vessels, a cannon ball was thrown opposite the church into Cart House street, in which was a blacksmith shop. The smith immediately seized the ball with a pair of tongs, and with a sledge hammer wedged it into the mouth of the cannon, where it still remains as a relic of the past struggle of our forefathers. It was at this church that the great revival of 1857 commenced and spread over a vast extent of the civilized globe. And here originated the services of world-wide fame and influence, the Fulton Street Prayer Meeting. It was Mr. Jeremiah Lanphier who originated these exercises September 23, that year, and he was granted soon to see immense results from a beginning very small and unpretending. Recently no regular minister has preached within the walls of the Old North Church, Sunday services being conducted by Mr. M. C. Julien, a theological student. The reason assigned by the Consistory for the removal of the edifice is, principally, that the money which the lease of the land will procure will be of great benefit in establishing new religious and fields of labor for the Church. The steeple of the church was burned on the morning of October 27, 1863, the fire communicating from a large conflagration on the upper and opposite side of Fulton street, and was never rebuilt. So bright was the glare of the flames as they reduced the steeple that countless swallows, deceived by the resemblance to daylight, came from nooks and corners in New England to the neighborhood. The tearing down of the old church will cause many regrets. Those will not only come from those who have attended worship there sunday after sunday, but from those who look upon it with

FEELINGS OF VENERATION,

when they think of the scenes and changes it has witnessed. Really, these have been numerous and extraordinary. It has seen the gradual denationalization of its city by the intrusion of barbarians from England, Scotland and Ireland, and worse than all, from Yankee land; it has seen the fugitive Huguenot, and his cobler brother, the Puritan, pass under its shadow on their weary way to and from wooden-burning New Haven; it has seen the undisciplined troops of Washington flying across the island for the wild hills of Brooklyn; it has seen the same Washington, seven years later, ride down the old Bowerie more like a demi-god than a man; it has seen the bonfires that proclaimed peace and independence, the farewells that hailed the man whom "Providence left childless that his country might call him father;" it has seen the crystallization of a wild people into a great creation; it has seen freedom and happiness spreading over a Continent; it has seen another "sharp, short and decisive war," and another peace that brought glory to the country; it has seen a half century following of such

GROWTH AND GREATNESS

as happens only now and then in ages; it has seen the accursed cloud of civil war lowering up in the Southern sky. Then peace again came; then prosperity again followed; the war cloud faded away; the assurance of national permanence was manifest, and the bones of old John Harpending rested more quietly in the grave, and all this time the Church was doing its great work; but now it is nearly done and is going the way of all the living. But the prayer meetings will continue; and even when walls of stone and columns of iron are going up on the consecrated ground, and rumbling coaches and man's profanity make the spot almost a pandemonium, God's name will still there be extolled in song and praise.

APPLICATIONS FOR THE HAWKINS MITE.

The following communications have been received by the HERALD in reference to the disposal of the "Hawkins Mite."

A Voice from the Victimized.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD:—

As you seem to have an elephant in the "Hawkins Mite" I have thought it possible that I can render you some assistance in disposing of the quadruped. I would suggest that the amount enclosed to you by Mr. Dexter A. Hawkins be divided *pro rata* among those of the stockholders of a certain defunct sewing machine company, known as the "North American Manufacturing Company," who were induced to loan the said company seventy-five cents a share on their stock upon a "full and complete general statement of the present condition of the company," as to lows:—

4,127 sewing machines, currency value	$202,435 28
Machinery and stock at factory, St. John, N. B.	130,000 00
Total	$332,435 28
Total debts, reduced to currency	88,112 04
Surplus	$244,323 24

And also upon letters, afterward written, assuring them that the loan was a safe one, and of making it their stock would be worth $1 a share. A large amount was loaned by parties relying entirely upon these statements and advices. Very soon after the bubble burst; the assets, including the loan, disappeared, and both the cost of stock and loan had gone "where the woollens twineth." Unless some stronger claim is presented I shall consider my suggestion a good one, although I am not, in this matter at least, a

UNITARIAN.

A Plea for a Sunday School.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD:—

MORRISANIA, Feb. 27, 1872.

If you would send the $10 with which Mr. Hawkins vainly endeavored to present your faithful attaché to the care of the Rev. Joseph Woods, of the Church of St. Augustine, Morrisania, in order to aid the boys and girls of his Sunday school in procuring catechisms and useful reading, it would be gratefully received. Mr. Hawkins has done much toward coaxing money from the pockets of our people for the schooling of other and richer people's children, and this $10 will be a mite of restitution to them. We will offer up special prayers that he may be no longer a slave of the Union League, that he may be converted from some of his practices and that he may become a member of the Church built upon a rock. Respectfully,

ONE OF THE TEACHERS.

A Teacher Out of Boots.

NEW YORK, Feb. 26, 1872.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD:—

SIR—I am a poor school teacher. I am obliged to deny myself all luxuries and many necessities of life. All winter I have been trying to save money enough to buy myself a pair of new boots, but so far have been unsuccessful. I need them, and, although I belong to no society of religious sects, neither am I semi-barbarian, yet may I not be quite as deserving of charity? Would you, sir, suffer any compunctions of conscience by giving me the "Hawkins mite?" I assure you it would not be sowing upon stony ground. Yours, hopefully,

R. D.

A Paternal Suggestion.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD:—

SIR—I suggest that the "Hawkins mite" be sent to the Hospital for Foundlings, and in doing so it may still remain in the family. Yours truly,

HARRY, of the Reform Party.

A Good Word for the Sisters of Charity.

NEW YORK, Feb. 27, 1872.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD:—

As the Sisters of Charity, in their communication of the 26th inst., deny that Mr. Dexter A. Hawkins has ever contributed to the support of the St. Vincent Hospital, I think it would not go much against the conscience of the gentleman if the editor of the HERALD should enclose the $10 received from him to the Sisters of Charity for the use of said hospital, as the editor himself appears to have no pressing need for it. From one who has been there.

J. R. MILLER.

MR. DEXTER A. HAWKINS' "FIGURES AND INFORMATION."

CHURCH OF ST. MICHAEL,
NEW YORK, Feb. 26, 1872.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD:—

In the statement of Mr. Hawkins in last Friday's HERALD of money received by Catholic schools, &c., he has St. Michael's Parochial School, 1869, $2,500; 1870, $2,000; 1871, $3,556. So far, all right; a total of $8,056. But in addition to the above figures he has "St. Michael's church, and of school attached to, $5,000," and again, "St. Michael's school, $5,000." Neither of these sums or any part thereof was ever received by this church from city or State. Seeing in Sunday's HERALD that Mr. Hawkins stated to your reporter that he obtained the figures and information from the Comptroller's books, by order of the Comptroller, I dropped in to-day at the Comptroller's office, showed the deputy, Mr. Storrs, the above two "items" of $5,000 each, and requested him to examine the books. Mr. Storrs did so, and reported to me that there were no such entries on the books of that office. So much for Mr. Hawkins' figures and information. I will now give mine. The total received by this church or public funds for schools or any other purpose is $8,056. It has expended nearly $200,000 on three school buildings that will accommodate 1,000 children; the principal of these buildings (corner Ninth avenue and Thirty-first street) is more an "educational palace" than any of the public schools. These buildings will cost, at least, one sixteenth of the total quarter of a million that is towards transaction "from the public treasury" to build an "educational palace."

ARTHUR J. DONNELLY,
Pastor Church of St. Michael.

NEW ARRIVALS AT STATE PRISON, NEW JERSEY.

Essex county has contributed four more scholars:—Alexander Mathews, grand larceny, one year; Theodore Kann, grand larceny, one year; William Rogers, assault and battery, one year; Orrin Rogers, assault and battery and breaking, one year; [illegible]

NEW JERSEY LEGISLATURE

The Hudson Grand Jury Plead for Jersey City.

The Document Smothered by a Mean Subterfuge—Disgraceful Scenes in the Assembly—Bumsted Directing Operations—The New York Herald in the House—A Blow at the Grand Jury System.

The unseemly exhibition witnessed in the Assembly Chamber at Trenton yesterday will not soon be forgotten. The following document was presented by Mr. Gaede, of Hudson:—

HUDSON COUNTY CORNY HOUSE,
JERSEY CITY, Feb. 27, 1872.

TO THE HONORABLE THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY:—

GENTLEMEN—The Grand Inquest, about to close its labors in the county of Hudson, respectfully appeals to the State legislature in behalf of the people of this county, and especially of the citizens of Jersey City, for relief from the fraudulent and ludicrous charter forced upon the city by a former Legislature. It is respectfully presented that there is not even a semblance of local self-government under the charter, that relates to fire department, the fire department, the Water Department, the grading, opening and improvement of streets, the construction of sewers, the repairing and cleaning of streets and the gathering of garbage, all matters relating to the public health, the appointment of Police Justices and all election officers, and the management of all elections, the levying and collection of all taxes and assessments, the increase of the city debt, the issue of the city bonds at will, the management of the sinking fund and all the local civil executive and police affairs of the city government are placed in the hands of irresponsible commissions, in the appointment of which the citizens of Jersey City have had no voice, the commissioners themselves having been created against the protest of the most prominent citizens and taxpayers, without any distinction of party, and against the wishes of the community at large, and we believe against the best interests of the whole people.

The people feel that they are utterly helpless and hopeless unless your honorable body shall grant them relief, by removing the commission or by modifying and restricting powers now apparently boundless for evil. New and useless offices have been created with salaries never before heard of in this community. The functions of local government are performed by means of ponderous machinery managed by inexperienced and blundering persons, and great mistakes, if not positive frauds, are the constant result. The charter itself, as it is, is flouted with impunity, and the people have no redress. This Grand Inquest has found it almost impossible to detect and prepare for punishment even palpable frauds, and we are convinced that the one remedy lies in a complete restoration of local government to the hands of the people interested.

There should be in all cities a Mayor as an executive head, well paid for his services, clothed with liberal powers and held strictly accountable for all his official acts. The machinery of the city government of Jersey City should be greatly simplified and the expense of carrying it on largely reduced. Police Justices should be shorn of a part of the power they now have, instead of having more power granted, as it is reported to this Grand Inquest they now demand from the Legislature. They now commit for a long term for very trivial offences, burdening the county with the support of a great number of prisoners, depriving their families of their support, oftentimes causing great and unnecessary misery, and throwing the families upon the authorities for assistance.

There should be as few departments in a city government as a due regard for the rapid and correct transaction of the public business will permit, and the head of each department should be elected by the people or appointed by the Mayor. In giving out contracts for public work, the Board having charge of the matter should be required to advertise a day and hour at which proposals will be received, and at the hour named the Board should be required to sit in open session, and allow all bidders to appear with their open bids, and hand them in at one time to the clerk, to read them at once, so that all present can hear plainly; the bids to be entered upon and published with the minutes. For elections there should be a means for compelling the judges to commence canvassing the ballots immediately on closing the polls, and citizens who desire to do so should be allowed to be present and within plain sight of the canvassing, so that irregularities or frauds in counting the ballots, if committed at all, must be committed in plain sight of citizens interested, and the canvass should continue till completed, without recess or interval. If persons elected to office are "counted out" by the judges in canvassing the ballots, elections are useless, and the power to appoint public officers may as well be given to the judges at once. If the Legislature of the State insists upon seizing upon the lands under water around the city, and to dispose of them to persons for private use at a large price, the proceeds to go into the State Treasury, to save the rest of the State from taxation, and insists upon relieving about $5,000,000 of railroad property within the limits of the city from local taxation (lands improperly justly entitled to be taxed by the city, in order that the State may impose a special tax upon the roads to further relieve the rest of the State at the expense of this county, and of Jersey City especially, and if we quietly submit to the wrongs from the State, we ask that there may be at least the small return of allowing us to govern ourselves, within the limits of the State constitution, and according to the true spirit of American institutions.

Done at the Grand Jury room, the 27th day of February, 1872.

Signed—Thomas Aldridge (foreman), William Harney, James M. Brann, Patrick Crenan, Alexander McDonnell, Michael G. Lennon, Hugh Stirling Pollock, William R. Ranken, John Van Vorst, John Dwyer, O. Cleveland, Jacob Hofmeister, Daniel Lake, Henry Lembeck, L. Laudenbenker, James Curran, David O'Sullivan.

The Assistant Clerk, Mr. Reeves, had hardly entered upon the second sentence of the document when he suddenly paused and seemed unable to pursue it any further, at the same time casting a furtive glance at the Speaker and then at Bumsted, who was permitted to seat himself on the floor of the House, near the Jersey City members, contrary to the rules of the Assembly. This sudden pause was not misinterpreted by those legislators who will clamor to the fortunes of the Jersey City Ring at all hazards. The situation was grave. It was not at all expedient for the interests of the party that is responsible for the misrule in Jersey City that the reading of the document should be continued. The country members must not hear it. Joy, of Newark, was equal to the occasion. He labored night and day at the session last year to overthrow the liberties of the people of Jersey City, and he succeeded. As one of the sponsors of the Ring he will maintain it in power, despite all protests, even from a Grand Jury, composed though it be of twelve republicans, eight democrats and four independents. He jumped from his seat and moved that the document be referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business, which would in effect be a suspension of the reading of it.

Patterson seemed confounded for once, and in his anxiety to have the document circulated as widely as possible he offered a motion, which was construed into a motion for reference, and it was finally so ordered. His motion was really intended for the printing of a certain number of copies for the use of the members.

Gaede, of Jersey City, became so excited at the outrageous attempt to smother the document that he took the floor in reply to-day, but did not make himself quite understood for a few moments. He demanded that even ordinary courtesy should be extended to a respectful communication from such a body as the Grand Jury. The House could not insult the Grand Jury by taking the action proposed by the gentleman from Essex, but would cover itself with disgrace. If the gentleman from Essex or any of the friends of the Ring did not wish to hear the truth let him or them leave, so that other members, at all events, could hear it. The unseemly exhibition just witnessed furnished evidence which might well arouse the suspicion of the country members. The works of the Ring are works of darkness and shun the light.

Several members were on their feet claiming the floor, and by the time the Speaker had succeeded in enforcing order the document had passed to the committee unread. So the representations of the grand inquest were flung to the winds. No one expects the committee will ever act upon them. It was a glorious achievement for the Ring, and Reeves was congratulated on the subterfuge. He left his desk and passed through the members from desk to desk, for he would never admit that his position as Clerk should interfere with his operations as a lobbyist. It should be added that the document was not only legible, but very plainly written.

Bumsted was all smiles. It was victory No. 1 for the Ring. But honest Henry Gaede was not satisfied, he renewed the following preamble and resolution offered by him on the previous evening:—

Whereas by an act entitled an act to reorganize the local government of Jersey City, passed March 6, 1871, a Board of Public Works was established, and the members thereof appointed by the Legislature to perform the duties described in said act; and whereas there is good ground and be it so to be that the members of said board have not always performed their duties honestly and faithfully, and that they have spent the money of the taxpayers unlawfully, especially in the purchase of land for the new reservoir; therefore be it

Resolved, That a committee of five be appointed to investigate the official actions of said Board of Works, and that said committee shall have power to summon witnesses and lay before this House the result of their investigations.

He pressed this resolution vigorously, determined to put the dominant party to the test, and it was adopted. The great body of the republicans could not with any show of decency oppose it. The Speaker did not announce the committee till the afternoon session. During the recess he was found in close consultation with Bumsted, and the composition of the committee shows that the interests of the latter were not overlooked. It is to be regretted that a gentleman who has been so honorable last session as Mr. Niles, the present Speaker, and on whose report consciousness and honesty were stamped, should descend to the arena of faction and carry out the will of men whose aims are and by any means stamped with unscrupulous. Every member of the House expected that Mr. Gaede, the mover of the resolution, would receive at least a secondary place on the committee, but, contrary not merely to precedent, but to courtesy, he was ostentatiously thrust aside. The following are the committee who are to repair to Jersey City and take testimony on the municipal frauds: Messrs. Williams, of Essex; Rogers, of Mercer; Wilcox, of Gloucester; Halsey, of Monmouth, and Pitcher, of Union. The latter two are democrats, the others republicans. If a whitewashing report be the result few will be disappointed.

During the morning session the joint resolution in favor of urging Congress to provide for a proper survey of the coast at Cape May and to erect a breakwater thereat was taken up in the House. Several members spoke in opposition to some terms of the resolution. Mr. Leaming, of Cape May, sent to the Clerk's desk a copy of the New York HERALD, of Monday, the 19th inst., and had read therefrom an editorial, entitled "Hydrographic Researches and the Revival of American Commerce." Mr. Leaming stated that after the reading of the article he thought it unnecessary to offer any further remarks on the subject. The resolution was passed with a slight amendment. Executive States Senator Cattell and Senator Edmunds are authorized to proceed to Washington and urge the matter upon Congress.

The action of the present Grand Jury at Jersey City has not been at all unnecessary to the immense robberies, and it is now proposed to make one step toward the abolition of the Grand Jury system altogether. A bill was introduced in the House on Tuesday evening by Mr. Wallace, of Jersey City, which authorizes the Judge of the Supreme Court who shall hold the Hudson County Circuit, to appoint three persons, who shall not all be of the same political faith, who shall be styled "commissioners of Jurors," who shall draw all grand and petit juries required in the different courts which may be holden in Hudson county; said Commissioners to hold their office during the pleasure of said Justice, and shall receive for their services such reasonable compensation as the Justice may direct. In drawing a grand jury of twenty-four persons the names of ninety-six persons qualified shall be placed in a box, and each of said Commissioners are then to draw out eight names, who shall constitute the Grand Jury. In the selection of petit jurors four times as many names as may be necessary to constitute a petit jury of persons qualified shall be placed in a box. Each of the Commissioners are then to draw out one-third of the number necessary. No person who has served as a petit or grand juror for the two preceding years to the passage of this act shall be eligible at the first drawing, and no person shall serve as a grand or petit juror oftener than once in three successive years.

The passage of such an act as this may well prepare the people for a state of things which seems not far off at hand—the abolication of the popular vote altogether.

MUNICIPAL CHARTERS.

The Future Government of Jersey City.

Three Charters Before the Legislature—Outline and Important Features of Each—The Arguments to Be Heard at Trenton—the Ring Afraid of the People—The Pavonia Club Member Again.

There is no greater problem to be solved by the present Legislature of New Jersey than the settlement of the Jersey City difficulties. That hapless municipality has not only been robbed but absolutely demoralized by a corrupt ring which owes its existence to the Legislature of last year. It would not be correct to state that that Legislature was corrupt. Many members of the dominant party were thoroughly honest, but they suffered themselves to be whipped into the political kennel, better known as a caucus, when the passage of the Jersey City charter was made a party measure. Other members of that party were "on the make," and they postponed the caucus to so late a day of the session that the contractors' Ring had to plank down $75,000 before final action was taken. This sum may appear large for such a locality as Jersey City, and a few of the Ring members grumbled against the price; but they yielded to the persuasive power of the "head centre," who assured them that there was "a power o' money into it." And he was right. In the

SEVEN MILLIONS OF DOLLARS

wrung from the people of Jersey City during the reign of the Ring, not to mention the very liberal commissions which contractors have to yield on improvement certificates, his expectations have been more than realized.

The least the present Legislature can do for the people of Jersey City is to loose the hands of the robbers from their throats. Even then it will be a small reparation for the wrongs inflicted on a patient people, whose children will have to share the burden of the heavy debt imposed on the city. The first measure of relief can be afforded by the passage of the

CITIZENS' ASSOCIATION CHARTER,

now pending in the State Senate. It was prepared by Messrs. Ransom and Fleming at the request of the association. Instead of demanding such a radical change as the repeal of the existing charter they simply propose such amendments as will render the "commissions" practically harmless. This small instalment of justice they believe the Legislature will not undertake to refuse. In the first place the Mayor and Board of Aldermen will be elected as under the present system. Secondly, the existing Boards of Finance, Public Works, Police and Fire Commissioners will be continued; but the present members thereof must

RETURN TO PRIVATE LIFE,

if they be not elected in the manner specified at the commencement of the ensuing municipal year. The members of these commissions shall be nominated by the Mayor and confirmed by the Board of Aldermen. In this way

A HEALTHY CONSERVATIVE MEDIUM

is attained between an irresponsible legislative commission on the one hand and a conspiracy of ginmill politicians at the ballot box on the other. Thirdly, the Board of Public Works will become a purely executive board, so that they shall carry out such improvements only as the Board of Aldermen, the direct representatives of the people, may order. The other boards shall be subject in like manner to the legislative department, on the good old principle that these men are the

PEOPLE'S SERVANTS, NOT THEIR MASTERS,

as at present. The salaries of the members of the commission shall be reduced. The salary of the Chief Engineer and Surveyor will be fixed at $5,000, and that of his assistants, not to exceed four, at $2,500 each. The expenses of the surveying and engineering department must not exceed $25,000 a year, and will be kept down as near as possible to $20,000. If the staff employed by the Ring rendered an equivalent for half the enormous sum of $300,000 paid to them during the past year there will be very little work left for any surveyor for the next three years. The foregoing are the cardinal points of the amendments, which are numerous, covering the entire charter. Next in order comes

MR. WEAKE'S CHARTER,

a plan of municipal government which was adopted by the New York Committee of Seventy, and is now pending in the New York Legislature. A glance at its leading features will reveal the great merits of the Scheme. It provides that the city government shall be vested in the Mayor, twelve Aldermen, and an Executive Board, to consist of six commissioners, viz., Finance and Taxation, Water and Sewerage, Police, Public Works, Fire and Education. The Mayor shall be elected annually, and shall receive a salary of $5,000; the Aldermen are to be elected annually, two from each Aldermanic district, and shall receive as compensation $10 for each session, the sessions not to exceed twenty in any one year.

IN VOTING FOR ALDERMEN

each elector shall be at liberty to place upon his ticket two names for Aldermen, or he may put the same name on twice, and in canvassing the votes for Aldermen every ticket upon which the name for Alderman is written or printed twice shall be counted and canvassed as two votes for that person, and the two persons receiving the highest number of votes in each district shall be declared elected.

THE SIX COMMISSIONERS

above named shall be appointed by the Mayor, by and with the advice and consent of the Board of Aldermen, and shall each hold office for the term of seven years, and shall each receive an annual salary of $3,000 and devote their time to the interests of the city. And any member who shall fail to attend the sessions of the Board of Aldermen during the first twenty sessions shall have deducted from his compensation the per diem allowance of $10 a session.

The second section of this charter sets forth in very specific yet simple terms the manner in which the duties of the Executive Board shall be discharged, and is as follows:—

That the Commissioner of Finance and Taxation, the Commissioner of Public Works, the Commissioner of Fire, the Commissioner of Water and Sewerage and the Commissioner of Education shall be known as

THE EXECUTIVE BOARD

of the city, and shall be organized [illegible] for the Mayor of the city, and a majority of the Board shall constitute a quorum to do business, and shall have a seal [illegible] a board of Commissioners of Public Works, a Board of Commissioners of Water and Sewerage, a Board of Commissioners of Education. That each of said Commissioners shall have the general supervision of the department [illegible] which will be the head and [illegible] of the department [illegible] the Executive Board, acting as a Board or that the Executive Board shall be in session as a Board of Finance, Taxation, Public Works, and when [illegible] the Executive Board shall be in session as a Board of Water and Sewerage they shall perform [illegible] as a Board of Finance, Taxation, Public Works, and when in session as a Board of Water and Sewerage they shall perform [illegible] the duties under the charter [illegible] Board of Finance, Taxation, Public Works, and when in session as a Board of Finance, Taxation, Public Works, they shall perform [illegible] the duties under the charter [illegible] Board of Water and Sewerage [illegible] the Board of Finance, Taxation, Public Works, [illegible]

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"THE DUTY OF THE DAY," according to the Utica *Herald*, is the question of the "duty on salt."

THE CONDITION OF OUR STREET CARS.—We are glad to notice that the health authorities are taking steps toward the improvement of the sanitary condition of our city street cars. This should have been done long ago, for these cars, crowded as they are most of the time with all sorts of people—the sick and the well, the "lame, the halt and the blind," the cleanly as well as the filthy—are calculated to breed disease as well as to spread contagion. The reforms proposed are demanded by the people and should be heeded by all the companies.

SHOULD JUDGE DAVIS RESIGN?—The German organ in Cincinnati, the *Volksblatt*, calls upon Judge Davis to resign his seat upon the Supreme Bench in consequence of his nomination by the Labor Reform Convention as their candidate for the Presidency. The Cincinnati *Enquirer*, democratic, suggests that he will probably "imitate the example of General Grant, who held on to his position as General-in-Chief of the Army of the United States until he was elected President." But "circumstances may alter cases."

The Treaty Difficulty as Viewed in Washington and by Ex-Secretary Seward.

Simultaneously with the HERALD's copious special report of the great pageant in London over the recovery of the Prince of Wales and the sympathy manifested by Americans, both in England and at home, with the British people on that occasion, the telegram from Washington to this paper showed that there was little prospect of the deadlock between the United States and Great Britain over the disputed point of the Alabama claims being removed. We are informed that the British Minister, Sir Edward Thornton, had notified our government, under instructions from home, that unless the claim of the United States for consequential damages be withdrawn there can be no settlement at Geneva, or through the Geneva arbitrating convention. This, it is reported, is the tenor of Lord Granville's note on the subject. We learn at the same time that while the President and his Cabinet are seriously deliberating over the matter, and while the phraseology of the note to be sent to the British government in reply will be made as friendly and unobjectionable as possible, the position of our government is unchanged. The President and Cabinet, after fully considering the matter, have concluded that the American case as prepared for the Geneva arbitrators, cannot be withdrawn.

Under these circumstances the President, it is said, is meditating over the policy of reiterating the recommendation he made to Congress in 1870, for our government to pay the Alabama claimants by issuing bonds, and then to hold the British government a debtor for these till some future day of settlement. In the meantime some of the claimants appear to be desirous of obtaining payment directly from the British government without the intervention of their own government. This the Secretary of State does not favor, though it is reported the President has no objection to such a proceeding. Of course this would leave the difficulty about consequential damages just where it stands at present. The President will not give up this claim until the Geneva arbitrators decide upon it or some new and acceptable proposition be made by England as a compromise. There is an earnest desire to maintain peace and friendship with England, but there will be no yielding on the question at issue. Should the British government continue to assume an attitude that precludes a settlement, the President, probably, will send a special message to Congress on the subject, and leave the responsibility with that body. The failure of the treaty would not necessarily involve war, though it would leave an unpleasant feeling existing between the two countries. From present appearances the matter is likely to be left to the temper and judgment of Parliament and Congress.

Meanwhile ex-Secretary Seward reappears on the well-worn Alabama carpet, and has something to say about the Treaty of Washington and the famous dinner table treaty of Reverdy Johnson. As might be expected, Mr. Seward prefers the latter to the former. Indeed, he looks upon the present troubles as the legitimate result of the rejection by the United States Senate of the Johnson-Clarendon Treaty, and evidently has the failure of that negotiation still laid up at heart. His objection to the present mode of settlement is based rather upon a sentimentality than upon any practical considerations. The Lincoln government, he says, in all their attempts at a solution of the difficulty, insisted upon a distinct apology for the Queen's proclamation according belligerent rights to the Southern rebels, or at least upon an apologetic explaining away of the awkward feature of the controversy. He regards the Treaty of Washington as having somewhat lowered the dignity of the position heretofore assumed by the United States, inasmuch as it seeks a money compensation for the alleged misdeeds of the English government during our hour of trial and suffering, instead of such an acknowledgment of wrong as might satisfy wounded national honor, if it did not benefit the national exchequer. This is certainly a patriotic theory on the part of our ex-Secretary of State; yet we recall the hard, cold, commercial provisions of the treaty which that clear-headed man of business, Lord Clarendon, palmed off upon the amiable *bon vivant* who then represented the United States at the Court of St. James, and we can remember no word of apology or regret that it contained. It was, in fact, a most undignified, unworthy, Gradgrind-like document, in which the mere payment by the British government of the claims of those citizens who had experienced actual losses from the depredations of the Anglo-Confederate privateers, after complete and satisfactory proof of their accuracy, was to be accepted by the United States as a settlement in full for all the violations of international law, treaty obligations and friendly relations of which England had been guilty during the war of the rebellion. If the Lincoln administration really desired to hold the British government to an apology for the promulgation of the Queen's proclamation, there was no attempt to secure that plaster for our wounded honor in the Johnson-Clarendon Treaty, and hence its rejection by the Senate was justifiable, if for no other reason, on the ground that it could not have been a full and entire settlement of our differences with England, growing out of the attitude of that government during our civil war.

Mr. Seward's *resume* of the history of our international troubles, which will be found in his conversation with a HERALD reporter published to-day, is concise and interesting, although it sheds no new light upon the facts already familiar to the American people. It will serve, however, to strengthen the popular feeling in favor of the position taken by President Grant, and will satisfy the doubting of the impossibility of any further concession to the demands of England on the part of the United States. The more distinctly the injurious and unfriendly character of the attitude assumed by the British government is placed before our people the more evident it becomes that we have yielded all we can ever yield in the friendly settlement we are still willing to make with our English cousins. We cannot concede that it is, as Mr. Seward supposes, "unbecoming the dignity and honor of the United States to demand or accept a sum of money from Great Britain as an atonement for political wrong or a compensation for wounded honor," for the reason that the very payment of such damages on the part of England would be in fact an admission of the injustice of her past conduct and an apology for the wrong she has done us. The money itself has never entered into the consideration of the government or of the people in making and sanctioning the treaty settlement now held in abeyance. In claiming the right to lay before the Geneva Conference our claim to consequential damages we in fact maintain our right to arraign England before that tribunal for the commission of acts unfriendly and injurious to the United States. Should the Geneva Conference maintain England's liability we should be willing to make her a present of the damages, satisfied with the recovery of a verdict against her for her past misdeeds. We regard the Treaty of Washington as more dignified and better becoming the honor and self-respect of the United States than the dinner table treaty of Reverdy Johnson, on this very account: that while the latter was a mere shopkeeper's balance sheet, the former submits to arbitration the whole conduct of England during our rebellion and leaves the judgment in the hands of impartial men.

But Mr. Seward gives us one piece of consolation. There will be no war between England and the United States. Of that he is certain. The treaty will fail, and the Alabama claims will remain open, for the reason that the passions and prejudices growing out of the questions they involve are not yet sufficiently allayed to admit of a friendly settlement at the present time. We agree with Mr. Seward in the prediction that the peace of the two nations will not be disturbed; for so far as the people of the United States are concerned they are indifferent about the fate of the Treaty of Washington and are satisfied to allow their claims against so solvent a debtor as England to remain on their books. But we maintain that on our part we are as ready to make a friendly settlement now as we are ever likely to be, and if passion and prejudice stand in the way of the final wiping away of our past differences with the English nation they must be the product of the English heart alone. We have made the Treaty of Washington in good faith and in a brotherly spirit. Upon that we stand. If England shall be rash enough to tear the parchment to pieces with her will rest the blame and the responsibility.

The Erie Ring and the Senate Judiciary Committee.

The arguments on Senator O'Brien's bill to repeal the Erie Classification act and to secure to the stockholders of the Erie Railroad a fair election of directors are still being heard by the Judiciary Committee of the Senate. The last feature of the discussion is an attempt on the part of the counsel of the Erie Ring to prove that the provision of the proposed law requiring the transfer books of the company to be deposited with a trust company for a certain time before the day of election of directors is in conflict with the constitution. These weak and trivial resorts of the "Ring" to postpone action on the Repeal bill as long as possible should no longer be permitted by the committee. Indeed, the members of the committee are subjecting themselves to grave suspicions by the singular manner in which their report is delayed. No person will believe that they can need any arguments to convince them of the propriety of repealing the Classification act and providing for a fair election of directors of the Erie Railroad, and, these main points being admitted, the mere details of the bill can be well left to the committee of the whole Senate. The members of the Judiciary Committee may as well understand at once that the people will hold them to a strict accountability for their action in this matter. They have already given too much time to the advocates of the "Ring" to plead their case, and it is very well understood that the object of the opponents of the bill is to drive it to the end of the session and thus secure its defeat. Unless the committee is waiting for a kind of argument with the use of which the present managers of Erie are familiar, the discussion will at once be closed and the bill reported to the Senate.

THE INTERNATIONAL IN SWITZERLAND.—For a long time the Swiss republic has been the favorite resort of political refugees. Royalists and republicans alike have made it a haven to which they fled for shelter in time of trouble, and were never disappointed in finding there homes. The Internationalists have, like others who preceded them, made Geneva a place for rendezvous. Here on a past occasion have assembled representatives of all the European nationalities at the Congress of the International, and at present there are numbers of this much dreaded organization in that city. Germany, like other nations, perceives in the influence which the International Society creates among the working classes some danger to monarchical institutions. If report speaks truly Bismarck does not look favorably upon this gathering of Internationalists at Geneva, and has so informed the Swiss government. So far the Internationals have done nothing in Geneva of which Bismarck need feel any way annoyed. The Internationals in Switzerland, however, are the source of annoyance to him, if nothing more, and his hostility to them may serve as the cue to other governments to follow his example.

GERMAN ACCOMMODATION TO FRANCE.—The German government has notified France that the Emperor William will accept an anticipatory payment of 410,000,000 francs of the war indemnity, allowing a discount of five per cent off for cash. The French will pay the amount immediately, and thus save twenty million francs. This is the true principle of the science of finance; prompt payments and the profits of honesty. France will liberate herself from debt and begin anew.

THE KILIAN-FREAR CASE.—The majority of the Assembly Committee on Privileges and Elections has made a report in favor of giving the seat now occupied by Alexander Frear to Frederick Kilian. As we predicted Frear is to be the tub to the whale, but will the Reform Legislature now attend to the cases of Tweed and Fields? Or is the rumor true that their former associations with the "Boss" are of a character to preclude them from braving his displeasure?

The Legitimist Fossils at Antwerp—The Church Coalition—A Chance for De Chambord Out West.

The Count de Chambord having, with his fossil sympathizers, set the good old Belgian city of Antwerp all agog for a few days, has, at last accounts, betaken himself to a little Dutch town within ten miles of Rotterdam. What he can expect to find in this vicinity it is difficult to prognosticate, except he is in search of the great mechanical genius who constructed the famous "cork leg" for that "richest merchant in Rotterdam." Fitted with a pair of these startling compounds of "clockwork and steam" he could keep up his reputation as a "sorehead" deputation-receiver all round the French frontier and perhaps beat Andy Johnson's famous railroad feat of swinging "round the circle."

The late gathering at Antwerp, exhibiting his miserable policy, which has dared only to lift the heads of its exponents on foreign soil, seems for the moment enhanced, in view of future events, by a letter which the Pope is reported to have written to the French bishops, urging them to support this fat old son of St. Louis for the kingship of France. Thus it will be seen how intimate the connection between this Divine right humbug, blinking its eyes like an owl in the nineteenth century sunshine, and the older power that by virtue of its link with heaven would chain the people to their "divinely-appointed" kings. The issues in France are becoming narrowed day by day, until, before long, the republic will be brought to still another death grapple with its foes. It has been said with some truth that the French clergy are to blame for French infidelity. In the days of the empire they served Napoleon in every way he pleased. Under the foolish Citizen King they were the most devoted of the Orleanists, and back through the kings of the Restoration they were Bourbon to the backbone, but always the foes of the republic. It is true that they never lost their love for the monarchy. It is the form of government in which clerical intrigue can show to the best advantage—where clerical ambition can achieve most. The grand historic figure of Richelieu and even the lesser brilliance of Mazurin haunt them in their dreams when the guillotine of the revolution is not before them. And so, with Napoleonism in the army, with Orleanism and Bourbonism among the shreds and remnants of the old noblesse and their clerical friends who lead the ignorant peasantry, with red-hot Communism under the surface in the large cities, the moderate republic of Thiers has fourfold foes to battle. This very multiplication of its enemies gives it, however, its greatest present strength, and if it but nerves itself to stand erect yet a little while the annealing hand of Time may teach the people they can rule themselves without phantoms at their head, whether imperial, monarchical or socialistic.

But we cannot forbear returning to the comic fossils at Antwerp, with their empty titles and "sorehead" wrongs. Here were Henry V. and his motley crew, whose trepidation only forsakes them when they shake French dust from their feet. They have been

> Letting I dare not wait upon I would,
> Like the poor cat i' the adage.

And yet there were a million, more or less, of them at Antwerp, so the cable said, and the citizens were taking cudgels to whip them, as if they were so many beggars at their gates and not the hedged-in disciples of Divine right. It would seem as though they had been but the ghosts of the followers of some other old son of St. Louis, come back with their tattered uniforms to make up for the shameful want of enthusiasm among the French people of to-day about this latest edition of the Bourbon. "The trouble is," said M. Villemessant, of the *Figaro*, addressing this life-long "sorehead" in last November, "the French people are not acquainted with you. Even I have come for some oil; my lamp of loyalty being growing dim." He got the "oil," but he has not been so successful in dispensing it, although not for want of effort on his part. There was truth indeed in Villemessant; the people had forgotten the fossil which for a quarter of a century lay buried at Frohsdorf, until the same earthquake which upset the empire unearthed the dry bones and sent them rattling round Europe. Henry was born in 1820, a few months before his father's assassination. When the Bourbon Charles X. was overturned in the "glorious days" of July, 1830, he abdicated in favor of Henry, but Talleyrand preferred Louis Philippe to the boy, and induced the French people to think so too. Thenceforward Henry was a "sorehead" king. He commenced this business of receiving "sorehead" deputations as early as 1838 at Rome, and five years after we find him still at the business in London, with all the farcical pomp with which the exiled Stuarts held a mock court in France. He then retired to Italy and married into the Modena family, to which, apparently, he brought no luck, for it was destined to become a "sorehead" too. Then he went to Frohsdorf and buried himself until resurrected as aforesaid, still keeping a standing bid for the French throne over his living tomb. Last November saw him still receiving the "soreheads" at Lucerne, to whom he was liberal in the supply of "oil." It will take much more of it to calm the troubled French waters enough to make it safe for the leaky old royal junk to float thereon.

We suppose that to all intents and purposes old Henry himself is too inveterate a "sorehead" ever to be thoroughly cured, except the French people, in a freak of fun, should some day crown him for the purpose of letting the Jacobins of the period knock off crown and head together. But for his followers we have hopes, and, what is much more, can help them. Here is a great free country, where to be a "sorehead" it is not necessary to cross the frontier to meet the object of your mental adoration. We have Frenchmen here in hundreds who make excellent cooks; we have Italians who sell peanuts, Germans who play trombones and manufacture Bologna sausages. Many of these men were princes or at least counts in their own country. But if there is any ancient class to which we can point with pride it is the many thousands of Irish kings who, coming among us without many valuable effects of their own, have managed to rule us since with more or less beneficial results to themselves. This should encourage the followers of the fat Henry to emigrate as their grandfathers did, if only for a few years. Imagination almost fails to paint the picture of H. de Chambord running for Alderman of St. Louis, Mo., and his followers voting Bourbon—straight.

The Hawkins Mite—Where Shall It Go?

The ten-dollar bill with which Brother Dexter A. Hawkins endeavored on Sunday last to purchase the favor of an employé of the HERALD, in order to secure for "one of the most learned men of the American pulpit" the fame of a HERALD report of his sermon, still remains unappropriated. The idea of bestowing it upon the Union League people has been sadly shaken since a correspondent has recalled to our recollection their arraignment by Brother Greeley as "a set of narrow-minded blockheads." We have no intention that the Hawkins mite shall fall into the hands of bigots or simpletons. Since it has left Hawkins' possession it shall have a different direction.

We publish to-day some applications that have been received for its appropriation. One suggests that it be donated to the sufferers from investment in a bubble sewing machine company, who were induced by oily persuasions to buy stock in the concern at seventy-five cents per share. But the applicant admits that the investors believed the shares to be worth three dollars, and hence we must regard them to have been as enterprising if not as shrewd as Hawkins himself, and reject their claim to the "mite." Another requests that the "mite" may be applied to a Sunday school at Morrisania; but Hawkins might regard this as a sectarian appropriation. A poor teacher, who belongs "to no society of religious sects," wants the ten-dollar bill for new boots, of which she stands sadly in need. But should the "mite" be appropriated to a pair of neat, high-heeled gaiters, it might, indeed, "fall on stony ground," especially if they should be used for a Sunday promenade. A fourth correspondent speaks a good word for the Foundling Hospital. This, certainly, is not a sectarian purpose; but the very argument used in favor of the suggestion forbids its acceptance. So we hold the "Hawkins mite" subject to the claim of a really deserving object. Perhaps the Rev. Dr. Clarke, of Boston, can aid us in disposing of it worthily.

The Prince of Wales and the Thanksgiving Services in Berlin.

In addition to our exhaustive exhibit of the thanksgiving services of yesterday, in connection with the restoration to health of the Prince of Wales, we are pleased to notice the attention which was paid to the event in Berlin. The English church at Berlin has always been conspicuous among the chapels connected with the foreign embassies. Some of the best men in the English Church have been pleased to spend a few years in Berlin before finally settling down at home. The services, of course, are always good, and the sermon is never below par. On Tuesday, it is gratifying to know, the Emperor William and all the members of the royal family now in Berlin, together with all the Foreign Ministers, attended divine service and publicly thanked God for the recovery of the Prince of Wales. Life is sweet to all, to Prince as to peasant. In the life of this young man the whole world has taken a most loving interest. Let us hope that the facts of the future will justify the kindly sympathy which in 1871-2 was extended to Albert Edward Prince of Wales. No prince in all the past has been so forgiven and so encouraged. If his future is a failure it is reasonable to conclude that the fault will be his own.

Assemblyman Husted and the Erie Classification Act.

Assemblyman Husted hastens to assure the HERALD that his bill for the repeal of the Erie Classification act has been introduced in good faith, and that he is opposed to the Classification law and voted originally against its passage. He appears to be aware that the repeal of the act without a provision for a fair election of directors, based upon the *bona fide* ownership of stock, would be simply playing into the hands of Gould, Lane and their associates, and he states that it is his intention, when his bill shall be reported to the House, to perfect it in Committee of the Whole. We are willing to accept Mr. Husted's explanation and to give him credit for honesty of purpose; but he is a good parliamentarian, and knows that the accumulation of bills of a similar character only serves to embarrass and delay legislation. Now, a bill for the repeal of Classification and for the election of directors of the Erie road under effective regulations—the bill long since committed to the Judiciary Committee of the Senate—has already been introduced in the Assembly and referred to the Railroad Committee of that body. Will Mr. Husted unite with others who are faithful to their reform pledges in requiring a speedy report of that bill from the committee? We believe that this action will be more likely to effect the object he has at heart than the course he now proposes to pursue. Let us have no unnecessary delay in the committee's report, and let Mr. Husted direct his well-known earnestness and ability to the exposure of any improper influences that may be at work to induce the committee to hold back the bill.

THE CAPTURE OF SAN LUIS POTOSI by the revolutionists is reported by our special despatch from Matamoros, based upon intelligence received by way of Tampico. If the report can be depended upon General Rocha, the best military leader of the Juarez government, who had about four thousand men under his command, has either surrendered or abandoned the city to the revolutionists under Treviño. President Juarez has of late sustained many defeats, but the fall of San Luis Potosi is the most fatal and disastrous blow to his power. He has no forces to cope with the overwhelming numbers of the revolutionists under Treviño, who is now free to carry out his threatened march on the city of Mexico. While affairs in the interior of the sister republic are taking a more uncertain turn than ever there comes a report from Brownsville that the Texan stock raisers have been goaded to despair by the depredations of Mexican desperadoes, and threaten reprisals by "carrying the war into Africa"—committing depredations in return on the inhabitants of Mexican territory. Truly a most unsatisfactory state of affairs, this of Mexico.

Congress Yesterday—The Senate Mutiny—The House Miscellany.

The entertainment furnished by the Senate to the residents and visitors at Washington continues to draw crowded houses. Hamlin, of Maine, whom Parson Brownlow used to describe as a "free negro," was ungallant enough yesterday to interpose an objection to the admission of ladies to the orchestra seats, and, consequently, those future voters and politicians were forced to squeeze their way into the galleries or to wander over to the deserted galleries of the House. Mr. Sumner took the leading *rôle* yesterday, and acquitted himself very creditably. He denied that, in introducing the resolution, he was actuated by political motives or intended any effect on the Presidential election, and protested that in this matter, as in all other acts of his public life, he was governed by a love of truth and justice. He declared that he spoke for the good name of the American people and for purity of government, which must be saved from scandal. He alluded to the general demoralization in public life, instancing the case of the Tammany Ring, and the abuses and corruptions in that other Tammany—the Custom House of this city—and said that when he heard of the abuses in the Ordnance Department, in connection with the sale of arms to France, it seemed to him as if the neutral duties of this government had been put into the hands of mere money-seekers and official jobbers; and, therefore, he felt that, as the thing became known and was a universal scandal, it was time that something should be done to arrest the suspicion cast upon our officials, and it should be done so thoroughly that neither at home nor abroad should there be any imputation of whitewash. This speech of Mr. Sumner's must have been a disappointment to those who expected to hear an angry political harangue from him. It seems to have been the most dignified and creditable speech made in the whole course of this Senate debate. It would have been well if Mr. Harlan, who followed him on behalf of the administration, had taken a lesson in moderation and good sense from the speech of the Massachusetts Senator. It was unfortunate, we think, that such a man, whose own official integrity does not stand very high in public estimation, should have been put forward as the defender of the administration in this matter. We sufficiently indicate the tone and substance of his speech when we say that he undertook to defend the general order abominations in this city and to say that the outcry against them proceeds from foreign manufacturers. There seems to be some prospect of this long debate coming to a close within a few days. A vote was taken yesterday on reconsidering the vote adopting Conkling's amendment extending the proposed inquiry so far as to ascertain whether any United States Senator has been in collusion with any agent of the French government in this matter; but the Senate refused to reconsider it—yeas 19, nays 28.

If the Senate does not hurry up with the investigation, if it is to have one—which appears at present rather unlikely—the wind will be taken out of its sails by the House, one of whose committees enters to-day upon the inquiry into the sale of these arms and ordnance stores to France. Mr. Lynch, of Maine, rather indiscreetly proposed a resolution yesterday looking to an investigation of Messrs. Schurz and Sumner's supposed relations with the French and Prussian governments, but upon being called upon by Mr. Dawes to state the ground of his charge he offered to withdraw that part of the resolution. Mr. Hooper, of Massachusetts, objected to the reception of the resolution at all.

Mr. Dwight Townsend, of this city, made a brilliant attempt to distinguish himself by a ridiculous proposition to refer the American claim for consequential damages to John Bright; but Mr. Roberts, of this city, put a quietus on that by a prompt and decided objection, in which he was backed by Mr. Dawes.

The bill to facilitate bank Clearing House exchanges was discussed briefly and with a general comprehension of its points, and was recommitted to the Committee on Banking and Currency, which is the last that will be heard of it at this session.

There was another clearing made of the business on the Speaker's table, and some filibustering over the renewal of a land grant bill for a railroad in Wisconsin. The final vote was staved off, but will be taken to-day, and will result in the passage of the bill.

The Commercial Policy and Tariff Difficulties of France.

The European Powers which have commercial treaties with France are about to forward to Versailles a joint protest against the passage of any French parliamentary measure imposing a tax on articles of raw material to be used in manufacture. This statement reaches us from London and Paris by cable telegram. England and Belgium are the Powers which will be affected directly, immediately and unprofitably, should the government of the French republic be enabled to carry out successfully its idea of a return to or towards the protectionist tariff system of the country as it presented previous to the negotiation of the Cobden-Bonaparte treaty of trade. England may remonstrate, or, with her sympathizing friends in Belgium and elsewhere, protest. Should she do so her action will initiate a period of uneasy difficulty for President Thiers. The French people are vastly divided in opinion on the subject of commercial tariff duties and for the necessity of a nice discrimination on the part of the Versailles legislators in imposing them. These facts were made patent during the recent debate which occurred in the Assembly on the question of the adoption of a committee report in favor of "resumption" of the treaties if they were not modified. An official correspondence has taken place between the English Foreign Office and the French Minister, Remusat, on the subject. The main points of the Cabinet arguments on both sides are published in the HERALD to-day.

THE FACILITY with which the checks of the Erie Railroad Company were passed over to Wilcox on vouchers for "advertising" and "law expenses" affords some clue to the manner in which State Legislatures have been heretofore managed by the Erie "Ring." If the report of the Senate Judiciary Committee on Senator O'Brien's bill be delayed much longer we may look to see a large increase in the vouchers for "construction account" expenditures of the Erie Railroad.

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THE WAR IN MEXICO.

Herald Special Report from Matamoros.

Reported Capture of San Luis Potosi by the Revolutionists.

The America Steamer for Camargo Unmolested.

TELEGRAM TO THE NEW YORK HERALD.

The HERALD correspondent at Matamoros has forwarded us the following special despatch:—

MATAMOROS, Mexico, Feb. 28, 1872.
Via BROWNSVILLE, Texas, Feb. 28, 1872.

Reports via Tampico have just reached here stating that the revolutionists under General Trevino have captured the city of San Luis Potosi.

The river steamer San Juan left Brownsville this morning for Camargo, loaded with bonded goods, without being molested by the Mexican authorities of Matamoros, who have abandoned the idea of stopping her.

General Palacios, the commander of this city, and the other Juarist authorities propose to start a force and, in conjunction with General Cortina, who has promised his co-operation, to capture Camargo before the arrival of the San Juan at that place.

San Luis Potosi.

San Luis Potosi, the capital of the State of the same name, which is reported to have been captured by the revolutionists, is a city of commercial as well as great strategical importance. It is situated ninety-two miles southeast from the city of Zacatecas, already in the hands of the revolutionists, and 190 miles west from Tampico. The population of San Luis Potosi is about thirty-four thousand. It has six handsome churches, three convents and numerous manufactories. The fall of San Luis Potosi, if true, is the severest blow yet sustained by the government of Juarez.

The city was defended by General Rocha, the best federal officer, who had the best troops under his command.

TEXAS.

Indignation Meeting of Texan Stock-Raisers—Threat of Reprisals for the Depredations of Mexican Desperadoes.

TELEGRAM TO THE NEW YORK HERALD.

BROWNSVILLE, Texas, Feb. 28, 1872.

A meeting of the prominent stock-raisers has been called here for the purpose of terminating the depredations of the Mexican desperadoes.

In the absence of support by the United States government the stock-raisers advocate protection of themselves to the extent of reprisals on the inhabitants of Mexican territory. The feeling against the Mexicans is very bitter.

WEST INDIES.

American Interests in the Bahamas—Colonial Revenue.

HAVANA, Feb. 28, 1872.

Late Nassau, N. P., advices have been received. The United States Consul to Nassau, Mahlon Chance, entertained a number of Americans on the 22d inst., at a dinner given in honor of Washington's Birthday. The principal officers of the government and many citizens called upon the Consul during the day.

The Bahama Legislature was in session. For the first time in many years the income of the colony equals the expenditure. The sponge market was dull.

UTAH.

A Secret Ballot Minority Representation Provided for by the "Admission" Convention—Return of Senator Stewart and Party from the Emma Mine—Mormon Affairs at the National Capital.

SALT LAKE CITY, Feb. 28, 1872.

A discussion took place in the Constitutional Convention to-day on Colonel Aker's substitute, providing for a secret ballot article, and providing for minority representation by cumulative voting, which was adopted, and the entire subject referred back to the committee.

A committee of the directors of the Emma Mine, consisting of E. Bridges Williams, M. P., and Senator William M. Stewart, of Nevada; George P. Lawrence, Professor B. Silliman, of Yale College, and James M. Selover, have returned from Little Cottonwood canyon after a perilous and fatiguing trip through the snow. Senator Stewart is seriously ill of throat disease.

The Union Pacific Railroad is again open and trains are moving regularly; but the snow now in the mountains is likely to interrupt communication somewhat until May.

THE PACIFIC COAST.

The Germans of San Francisco Organizing for the Coming Presidential Campaign—Discharging Mechanics from the Mare Island Navy Yard.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 28, 1872.

The steamer Montana, with the English and colonial mails for Australia and New Zealand, sails on Friday noon.

The Germans are organizing clubs in every ward in the city for participation in the coming Presidential campaign as independent republicans.

About one-third of the mechanics in the Mare Island Navy Yard were discharged yesterday.

Benjamin Edwards, a hackman, was convicted of murder in the second degree to-day for the shooting of L. Levy in a difficulty concerning a woman at Petaluma, and sentenced to seven years in the State Prison.

NAVAL ORDERS.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 29, 1872.

Second Assistant Engineer H. E. Rhodes has been ordered to the Oneida. Passed Assistant Surgeon F. M. Dearborn has been detached from the Wasp and placed on waiting orders.

EUROPEAN MARKETS.

LONDON MONEY MARKET.—LONDON, Feb. 28—5 P. M.—[illegible] American securities [illegible] 9¼, 1865s at 9¾, 1867s 9[illegible], 10-40s [illegible].

PARIS BOURSE.—PARIS, Feb. 28.—Rentes closed at 80f. 72c. [illegible] Feb. 28. Under Shares for imports [illegible] for the month of Feb.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.—LIVERPOOL, Feb. 28—5 P. M.—Cotton closed [illegible] 11 and 8 11-16d., [illegible] the week [illegible] the day four up 12,000 bales including 2,000 [illegible] and speculation.

LIVERPOOL PRODUCE MARKET.—LIVERPOOL, Feb. 28.—Breadstuffs [illegible].

LONDON PRODUCE MARKET.—LONDON, Feb. 28.—Refining [illegible] 43s. 3d. [illegible] 43s. 6d.

LIVERPOOL PROVISION MARKET.—LIVERPOOL, Feb. 28.—Beef [illegible] Cut Pork [illegible] Lard [illegible].

PETROLEUM MARKET.—LONDON, Feb. 28—5 P. M.—Refined petroleum, 1[illegible] d.

HAVANA MARKETS.

HAVANA, Feb. 28, 1872.

The sugar market is quiet and weak, the business small and prices are unchanged.

Exchange firm. On London, 9 per cent premium.

FRANCE.

The Bonapartist Invasion Alarm and Naval Patrol of the British Channel.

Treaty Powers' Protest Against Thiers' Plan of Protective Tariff Taxes—The Commercial Relations with England—British Foreign Office Exposition of the National Policy—German Treasury Offer for Prompt Payment.

TELEGRAMS TO THE NEW YORK HERALD.

PARIS, Feb. 28, 1872.

Three more French men-of-war have been fitted out to cruise in the British Channel to guard the coast against a Bonapartist expedition.

THE INDEMNITY TO GERMANY.

The German government has notified the French Minister of Finance that it will accept the anticipatory payment of 410,000,000f. of the war indemnity with a discount of five per cent.

M. Pouyer-Quertier will immediately pay the amount, thereby saving 20,000,000f.

The Assembly has rejected a bill the object of which was to commit the Chamber to the movement for the payment of the war indemnity by voluntary subscriptions.

During the debate Minister Lefranc showed that "the subscriptions were insufficient."

A Treaty Powers' Protest.

PARIS, Feb. 28, 1872.

Telegrams from London report that the European Powers which have commercial treaties with France will shortly send to the government at Versailles a protest against the passage of any bill imposing a tax upon articles of raw material to be used for manufacturing purposes.

The Points at Issue and Policy of France.

The French commercial treaty with England, known familiarly as the Cobden-Bonaparte Treaty, will expire by its own limitation in May. The Trade Tariff Treaty, concluded between the French government and that of Belgium, will terminate about the same period. The questions of the renewal of the modification or the total obliteration of the documents and of the return of France to a system of protective tariff dues has excited a very deep interest both in the French republic and among the surrounding nations. A committee of the French Assembly has reported on the subject in favor of the "renouncement" of the Anglo-French treaty as it now presents and in its subsequent revision, and the Thiers government sustained a very significant defeat in Parliament during the debate which ensued on the subject of the adoption of the report. The debate opened with speeches from M. Wollowski against the withdrawal from the treaty with England, and from other Deputies in support of the proposals of the committee.

M. de Remusat addressed the House, and said the speakers, instead of giving notice of withdrawal from the treaty, had wandered from the real point at issue. The question was not a contest of free trade versus protection, but purely a practical one. The circumstances in which France was placed rendered it necessary for her to regain her fiscal liberty. The government desired the moderate protection required by the national interests. The imperial government itself had resolved to propose a revision of the tariff, and the immense increase of taxation necessitated by the national disasters now rendered the tariffs urgent. Article 21 of the treaty enabled the contracting parties to demand a modification of the tariffs under certain conditions. Articles 9 and 5 of the additional convention provided for the establishment of compensatory duties. Negotiations had been opened on this basis, and England admitted the fiscal necessities of France, and did not consider the proposed taxes excessive, but she was divided between her desire to assist France and her repugnance to accept an augmentation of the tariffs. Finally, in October, 1871, England manifested a decided reluctance to enter upon a course involving, as the despatch of the English government said, a protectionist policy suicidal to the nation adopting it. The hope of effecting a revision of the tariffs becoming thus very small, the French government expressed its belief that notice of withdrawal from the treaty was the preferable course, but intimated at the same time its perfect readiness to continue negotiations. M. de Remusat proceeded to read a despatch from the English Foreign Office of the 28th January, stating that "if the French government believed itself placed under the necessity of giving notice of withdrawal from the treaty in a fiscal sense Her Majesty's government will endeavor to obviate any weakening of the good relations subsisting between the two countries. Her Majesty's government is ready to modify the treaty within the necessary fiscal limit, but would have the greatest objection to accept modifications in any protectionist sense. Her Majesty's government would not, however, close the door to negotiation. If the treaty were 'renounced' its abrogation could take place in one year." (The reading of this despatch caused great sensation.) M. de Remusat concluded by declaring that the policy of the French government must not be interpreted as a step backward. The policy was not one of absolute protection, and France had no hostility to fear on that score. M. de Remusat dismissed as untenable the idea that the treaty Powers *would make a coalition against France to compel the maintenance of the treaties of commerce.* England declared it contrary to her interest to make reprisals by measures analogous for France. England might consent to the proposed modification in the tariffs; other influences would weigh greatly with the other Powers.

M. Thiers declared that the government had no wish to return to protectionism, and had only negotiated on the basis established by the imperial government. In the first negotiations France only demanded modifications of the tariffs. When the present urgent necessities arose, the government negotiated by virtue of the article of the treaty relative to compensatory duties. It was necessary for France to possess fiscal liberty, in order to prevent her manufactures from being crushed by foreign products in her own market. If the French and English governments did not think alike on this subject, they nevertheless had not quarrelled. The English government might say to those opposed to modification, "If we make no concessions, the treaty will be abrogated." The necessities of France required compensatory duties on foreign products.

The Bank Rate of Discount.

PARIS, Feb. 28, 1872.

The rate of discount of the Bank of France has been reduced.

OFFICIAL DEFAULT OF A NOBLE CHARITY.

An ex-prefect of the Department of Eure has been tried for misappropriating 200,000f. contributed by the Lancashire operatives for the relief of France after the war.

THE MISSION TO ITALY.

M. H. Fournier has been nominated French Minister to Rome.

THE CAUSE OF THE EXILED POLES.

It is rumored that the Prussian Ambassador at Paris is negotiating with the French government for the return of the Polish emigrants.

RUSSIA.

The Minister to the United States En Route for Washington—Baron Von Offenberg—His Public Life and Services.

TELEGRAM TO THE NEW YORK HERALD.

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 28, 1872.

Baron von Offenberg, the new Russian Minister to the United States, has taken his departure for his post of duty.

Sketch of the New Russian Minister.

It will be seen from the St. Petersburg telegram by cable, which we publish above, that a Russian Minister, commissioned to succeed Catacazy in Washington, is on his way to the United States. The State Department at Washington has just been officially notified by Prince Gortschakoff that Baron von Offenberg has been designated by his Imperial Majesty, Minister for Russia to the government of the United States. The new Minister left St. Petersburg on the 12th of February, and it is expected he will reach Washington about the 20th of March. Baron von Offenberg has for many years, and in charge of very important interests of the imperial Russian government in the East—as Consul General at Bucharest, where Russia has for a time been sustaining a great protectorate of the Principalities. Baron Offenberg belongs to an old Prussian family, long resident in Prussia and is spoken of by those who know him as an accomplished scholar and a man of [illegible] literary attainments, but as an able and shrewd diplomatist. He is accompanied by Count Kleist, a young Russian gentleman, who has already distinguished himself in the diplomatic service on the Continent, and who comes out to America as an attaché of the Russian Legation. M. Schirkoff the second Secretary of the Embassy, who has been acting as Chargé d'affaires since the withdrawal of Major General Wolkoff, succeeds M. Danzas, the First Secretary, who has obtained leave of absence to visit Russia, and will not likely return.

ENGLAND.

American Episcopal Participation in the Thanksgiving Ceremony—The Steamship Parthia.

TELEGRAMS TO THE NEW YORK HERALD.

LONDON, Feb. 28, 1872.

Right Reverend Bishop Stevens, of Pennsylvania, was present at the Thanksgiving services in St. Paul's Cathedral yesterday. The distinguished American divine was clad in his ecclesiastical robes. He was the recipient of especial honors from his brethren of the Church of England.

THE STEAMSHIP PARTHIA.

The steamship Parthia, damaged yesterday by collision, will be detained some days for repairs.

THE COTTON SUPPLY.

Nineteen thousand six hundred and two bales of American cotton were delivered at Liverpool to-day.

Projected Visit of Victoria to Germany—Civic Compliment to the Crown.

LONDON, Feb. 29—A. M.

It is reported that Queen Victoria is going to Germany to visit her daughter, the wife of the Prince Imperial.

The Lord Mayor to day presented an address to the Prince of Wales.

IRELAND.

Political Riot and Action of the Police.

TELEGRAM TO THE NEW YORK HERALD.

DUBLIN, Feb. 28, 1872.

There was some rioting at Killarney to-day on the arrival of the member of Parliament for Kerry.

The mob commenced to pelt the police with stones, when the riot act was read, and the police prepared to charge with fixed bayonets. The crowd was finally dispersed and order restored. Nobody was seriously injured.

THE ALABAMA CLAIMS.

What European Diplomats Say of the Indirect Damages Bill—Mr. Fish's Reply to Granville.

TELEGRAM TO THE NEW YORK HERALD.

PARIS, Feb. 28, 1872.

Diplomatic authorities here are confident that England will finally admit the competency of the Geneva Board of Arbitration to consider the indirect claims.

It is anticipated that the American reply will be quite as conciliatory as Earl Granville's note.

GERMANY.

Imperial Family Thanksgiving in Union with the English Fete—Emperor William's Health.

TELEGRAM TO THE NEW YORK HERALD.

BERLIN, Feb. 28, 1872.

The Thanksgiving services for the restoration to health of the Prince of Wales at the English church in this city yesterday were attended by His Majesty the Emperor William, all the members of the royal family now in Berlin and the different foreign Ministers accredited to the government of Germany.

HEALTH OF THE EMPEROR.

The health of the Emperor William is improving.

AUSTRIA.

Punishment of a Russian Spy—Political Radicalism Against Art and Production.

TELEGRAM TO THE NEW YORK HERALD.

VIENNA, Feb. 28, 1872.

A Russian spy has been detected at Lemberg sketching the fortifications, and condemned to a year's imprisonment.

The International Society is reported to be organizing trade strikes, with the object of preventing the International Exhibition intended to be held in this city.

BELGIUM.

Chambord Stock Declining in Public Estimation.

TELEGRAM TO THE NEW YORK HERALD.

BRUSSELS, Feb. 28, 1872.

The Count de Chambord was hissed by the populace at Dardrecht.

ITALY.

French Interpretation of the German Imperial Mission to Rome.

TELEGRAM TO THE NEW YORK HERALD.

PARIS, Feb. 28, 1872.

The *Patrie* asserts that the mission of Prince Frederick Charles of Prussia, who is now in Rome, is to bring about an alliance between Germany, Austria and Italy.

MANUFACTURING INTERESTS.

Merchants and Tradesmen Combining—A New Organization—Speeches by Governor Jewell and Judge Barbour.

HARTFORD, Conn., Feb. 28, 1872.

There was a large meeting of the prominent citizens of this city to-night, to discuss plans for the promotion of manufacturing interests here. Speeches were made by Judge H. H. Barbour, Governor Jewell, Mr. R. D. Hubbard, General J. R. Hawley, A. D. Burr and others.

An association was formed called a Board of Trade and Manufacturers, and a large number of prominent business men became members of it. Rooms will be immediately rented for regular meetings of the Board, and persons desiring to establish themselves here will find easy access to representative business men and capitalists through this organization. The new railroads entering here, the water communication, &c., afford advantages to manufacturers, and it is believed that through this Board of Trade meritorious enterprises will find capital ready to aid them.

DEMOCRATIC NOMINATION.

HARTFORD, Feb. 28, 1872.

The democrats of Hartford county to-day nominated Eugene D. Fish, of this city, for Sheriff.

NOMINATION OF AN OLD WHIG.

BINGHAMTON, N. Y., Feb. 28, 1872.

William L. Ford, of Deposit, was yesterday nominated for member of the Assembly from Broome in place of William M. Fly, deceased. Mr. Ford was a member of the Legislature a few years ago and an old whig.

WOMAN'S EQUAL RIGHTS.

BALTIMORE, Md., Feb. 28, 1872.

The Maryland Woman's Equal Rights Association met at Faine's Hall this morning, with the President, Miss Lavinia Dundore, in the chair, and debated until two o'clock, when a recess was taken for half an hour.

AN OLD OFFENDER ARRESTED.

About a year and a half ago Oliver F. Papp, who, in company with a friend named Benjamin F. Beason, of No. 11 East 127th street, on Sixth avenue, stabbed him several times with a large pocket knife, inflicting wounds which at the time were supposed to be fatal. The wounded man was removed to the Park Avenue Hotel and Papp locked up at the Jefferson Market prison to await the result of the injuries. But Beason becoming convalescent Papp was admitted to bail for trial upon being sworn out of the country and was to sail that night, when he was arrested, on the ship as she was about to sail, by Captain [illegible] who recognized him entering his lodgings in Jersey City and recognized him. He was taken to Police Headquarters and locked up until the proper time when he will be arraigned for trial. Papp was once arrested for stealing a quantity of diamonds. Beason was with Papp at the time and gave information to the police which led to the arrest of Papp in whose possession the missing property was found. Papp took umbrage at Beason in giving the information and took advantage the first time he met him to get even by stabbing. For which he is now incarcerated.

WEATHER REPORT.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF SIGNAL OFFICER,
WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 29—1 A. M.

Synopsis for the last twenty-four hours.

The barometer has risen since Tuesday night in New England, the lowest pressure having apparently moved slowly eastward. The highest barometer is central on Lake Superior, but the pressure has very generally fallen from the lakes to the Gulf and South Atlantic coast. The low barometer which was in Texas has moved northeastward, and is now apparently central in Northern Alabama and Georgia. Easterly winds, with rain, prevail from Georgia to North Carolina, and northeast winds, with snow, in Illinois and Kentucky. Northeast winds and clear weather have succeeded in Texas.

Probabilities.

The central lowest barometer will probably move northeastward, over the Ohio Valley and lower lakes, on Thursday; brisk and possibly dangerous northeast winds prevail on Lakes Michigan and Erie, and fresh northeast winds, with rain, extend along the Atlantic coast to New York by Thursday morning. Northwest winds and clearing weather prevail on Thursday in the Gulf States. Cloudy weather, with northeast winds, prevail very generally on the lakes and in New England, southwest of Maine. Dangerous winds are not anticipated for Thursday morning on the Atlantic and Gulf coasts.

The Weather in This City Yesterday.

The following record will show the changes in the temperature for the past twenty-four hours in comparison with the corresponding day of last year, as indicated by the thermometer at Hulnut's Pharmacy, HERALD Building:—

	1871.	1872.		1871.	1872.
3 A. M.	—	22	3 P. M.	—	38
6 A. M.	—	24	6 P. M.	—	34
9 A. M.	—	22	9 P. M.	—	29
12 M.	—	32	12 P. M.	—	27

Average temperature yesterday 28¼

CANADA.

Hon. James Howe Giving a Political Lecture—Censure of the Home Government for Withdrawing the British Troops—Charge of Cowardice and Intimations of an Open Rupture with the Mother Country.

OTTAWA, Ont., Feb. 28, 1872.

Hon. James Howe, during a lecture which he gave last evening in the Gowan Hall, condemned in the strongest language the policy of the British government towards Canada in withdrawing her troops.

He predicted a rupture with the home government if there was no better understanding come to soon, and jeered the cowardice of that government in collecting the army and navy around the islands of Great Britain.

He urged independence as the only course open to Canadians, and asked the people to prepare for separation from Great Britain.

Howe was formerly a stanch annexationist, and this speech is supposed to be a shadowing of the policy to be taken by the government at the approaching session.

THE NEW BRUNSWICK SNOW BLOCKADE.

ST. JOHN, Feb. 28, 1872.

The snow and ice blockade on the railroads was raised to-day. The first train from Sackville this week arrived at nine o'clock this morning, and Monday's train from Bangor is expected at midnight. The weather is moderating.

A UNITED STATES MARSHAL FROZEN TO DEATH.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Feb. 28, 1872.

The body of Clement McCausland, Deputy United States Marshal, was found yesterday eighteen miles from Frog Point, Dakota, he having perished in the recent storm while pursuing an escaped prisoner. Mr. McCausland's home was in Lowell, Mass.

ATTEMPT TO SELL A RAILROAD.

A Court Creditor of the North Missouri Road in a Strait—He Cannot Levy on the Property of the Company, but Demands that the Line Be Sold at Auction.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Feb. 28, 1872.

William Boge, of New York, filed a declaration in the United States Court to-day against the North Missouri Railroad Company, setting forth that in October and January last he obtained two judgments against said road, amounting to $353,000; that execution was issued and returned endorsed that no property could be found which could be levied on and sold under execution. He further declares that the Rogers Locomotive and Machine Company, of New Jersey; George Howard and James Low, of New York; George D. Humphrey, E. H. Fox and the Boatmen's Savings Institution, of St. Louis, obtained judgments against the same road in October and January, aggregating $1,000,488, which are unpaid. The complainant prays for a decree ordering the sale of the road and all its property at auction in this city; and that the proceeds of the sale be distributed by the Court among the judgment creditors in accordance with their legal rights; and the residue, if any, be held for further orders by the Court.

Seizing the Stock of the Missouri Pacific Road for Taxes.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 28, 1872.

The Sheriff of Franklin county a day or two ago seized at Washington, in that county, the machine shop, a lot of bridge material and several cars of the Missouri Pacific Railroad for the non-payment of taxes. Yesterday he seized the shops and other property at Pacific City belonging to the same road, also a large lot of personal property belonging to the Atlantic and Pacific road at the same place and on the same account.

RAILROAD COMPENSATION.

Action of the Ohio Legislature in Reference to the Suits for Personal Damages.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Feb. 28, 1872.

The House to-day passed the Senate bill to allow $10,000 as the maximum amount of damages that may be received from railroad companies as compensation for causing death by wrongful act, neglect or default.

Also, a bill compelling lessees of railways to light the same within the corporate limits of cities and villages.

LITTLE ROCK AND PACIFIC RAILROAD.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Feb. 28, 1872.

The consolidation of the Memphis and Little Rock and Little Rock and Fort Smith roads was ratified to-night, under the name of the Memphis, Little Rock and Pacific Railroad Company, with the following board of directors:—Sam Tate, C. G. Scott, A. McDonald, H. L. Bunkley, W. N. Farrington, Henry Page, A. T. Lacy, R. D. Williams and John Stoddard. The lease of the two roads to the Southern Security Company from January 1, 1873, was signed. These consolidated railway lines give 350 miles of road, forming a direct route to Texas and the Indian country. Sam Tate was elected President of the new company.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS ITEMS.

Hon. Thomas Littlefield has received the republican nomination for Mayor of Auburn.

In Salem, on Tuesday, Thomas Gerrish was fatally crushed by falling under his heavily loaded wagon.

The Maine Legislature has passed the Savings Bank bill taxing deposits one half of one per cent per annum.

William B. Castle, one of the most prominent wealthy citizens of Cleveland and President of the Cuyahoga Furnace Company, died yesterday.

Joshua L. Chamberlain, President of Bowdoin College, has been elected, by a concurrent Legislative vote, Major General of the Volunteer Militia of Maine.

The dwelling house of Artemas Cummings, in Westford Centre, Mass., was burnt on Tuesday night with all the furniture. Loss, $8,000; insured $1,500 in the Westford Mutual.

The Democratic Committee of Broome county, New York, yesterday nominated James H. Rood to succeed Congressman Wright of Assembly, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Mr. Fly.

Railroad trains running into Council Bluffs, Iowa, have been in motion the past ten days by snow men and three and more engines. One train, on its way to Salt Lake, was tossed out of $400 all the money he had. Several counter jumpers were arrested yesterday.

The Kansas House of Representatives passed the bill granting a gambling capital punishment. Two hundred and twenty-five have been indicted in the House, 120 in the Senate, others are coming. Yesterday was the last day for members to draw pay, and many say they will go home on a short or long procession.

F. W. Chapman, a resident of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, was [illegible] Monday afternoon, [illegible] above, [illegible] a [illegible] man and attempted to take his life by cutting his throat with a razor. Judge Pomeroy, a neighbor, [illegible] the razor from his throat and saved his life. The wife went away on a visit [illegible] Chapman [illegible].

The Senate [illegible] the question of the Speaker's [illegible] Senate [illegible] Speaker [illegible] Senate [illegible] Speaker [illegible] Senate [illegible] Speaker

MAYOR HALL.

The Jury Obtained---Only One More Needed.

The Difference Between Opinions and Impressions.

Close Cross-Examination of Some of the Witnesses.

The Public Interest in the Trial Still Rising.

Yesterday was a somewhat more [illegible] than the preceding ones in the [illegible] jurors. Five new jurors were sworn [illegible] seat now remains vacant, and [illegible] be filled to-day. The court [illegible] greatly crowded, and it was [illegible] cuity that order was somewhat [illegible]

The following is a report [illegible]

William A. Monroe, sworn—[illegible] way; had not been in business [illegible] about it in and out of [illegible] William Marks, sworn—[illegible] by hearsay and from [illegible] opinion about the matter [illegible] gard to the special charges [illegible] the Mayor.

The Court—You may [illegible]

Marks Zorkowski, [illegible] Dime Street; had [illegible] opinion.

The Court—[illegible]

C. M. Ke[illegible] did not know [illegible] what he [illegible] newspapers [illegible] HERALD [illegible] turned [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible] Mayor; had [illegible] opinion.

The Court—You may [illegible]

To rutus A. [illegible] 713 Broadway; [illegible] heard the charges [illegible] an opinion.

The Court—[illegible]

C. M. Ke[illegible] did not know [illegible] what he [illegible] newspapers [illegible] HERALD [illegible] turned [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible] Mayor; had [illegible] opinion.

The Court—You may [illegible]

Thank you, sir. [illegible] said the latter, as he departed with a [illegible]

Robert [illegible] in clerks and [illegible] read the charges [illegible] had not [illegible] of his [illegible]

[illegible] Court. The sackers and much [illegible] taking any notice of these and [illegible]

Charles [illegible] Court—Had read the charges [illegible] these charges, which he had [illegible] in Gas cases; read the HERALD and the [illegible] opinion.

[illegible] of both sides, on account of the feebleness of [illegible] he was excused.

[illegible] Was a merchant tailor at the [illegible] years; had read the charges in the papers and had [illegible] opinion about them.

[illegible] Was a [illegible] at 537 East Seventeenth street; had resided in the city ten years; had read the charges against the Mayor and had expressed an opinion about them.

To the prosecution—Read the HERALD principally; also [illegible] papers; had a fixed opinion of the [illegible] charges in the papers and had [illegible] opinion about them.

The Court—You may stand aside.

Thomas [illegible] Was a [illegible] at 127 East Seventeenth street; had resided in the city ten years; had read the charges against the Mayor and had expressed an opinion about them.

To the prosecution—Read the HERALD principally; also [illegible] papers; had a fixed opinion of the [illegible] charges in the papers and had [illegible] opinion about them.

The Court—You may stand aside.

Henry Frey, sworn—Resides at No. 200 West Seventeenth street; was not in business; knew the general charges against the Mayor; read the Board of Audit; never read at the office; from what he heard and read, he had formed opinions which it would require evidence to remove; could not say that he had exactly formed an opinion about the Mayor; had not heard much about these matters for the last three or four months.

Challenged as to favor witness continued—Read the HERALD and the [illegible] was not an habitual reader of the [illegible] remember hearing discussed the charges, but might have done so; belonged to the Sixteenth Ward Reform Association; never heard Zachariah Chandler; never heard any speech at all; doubts if he ever heard an intelligent that assassination was not proved, as an argument, to overthrow republicanism; it was formerly a compliment to be called a Tammany Ring member; doubted whether Mayor Hall was a member of it; had only the reputation of Tweed and Connolly's having been members of it.

To the prosecution—Was formerly in the grocery business.

Ex-Recorder Smith addressed the triers, and in much the same way as yesterday, against the competency of the witness. The discussion did not wish to decide a private or personal grudge, but where they believed that he was biased they thought it only right to decide. They had already accepted three gentlemen who had admitted a bias against the Mayor, because they had answered with an ingenuousness and candor that indicated times to believe they would decide on the evidence alone. Ten jurors had now been obtained in whom they had perfect confidence, and there were the strongest reasons why a member of the Reform Association should not become an associate with them.

The triers found the challenge true, and the witness was set aside.

Albert A. Martin, sworn—Was out of business some years, but had been in the hardware business formerly; had expressed opinions about the charges.

The Court—You may stand aside.

De Lacy Iroacks, sworn—Was a grocer at 45 Warren street; had not been in business in the city; had formed and expressed opinions about the charges against the Mayor.

The Court—You may stand aside.

Lewis C. Murphy, sworn—Resides at 372 Fifth avenue; had expressed opinions about the charges against the Mayor.

The Court—You may stand aside.

JUROR NUMBER ELEVEN.

William Blair, Jr., sworn—Knew the nature of the charges against the Mayor; had formed opinions generally, but not in respect of the special charge against the Mayor.

Q. How do you distinguish between the two? A. I think the one includes all the officials; the other is a charge of wilful neglect against the Mayor; thought in regard to the latter he could go into the jury box and decide on the evidence; did not take any active part in politics, and was not affiliated with any political organization; I have no doubt that I could give a verdict, on the evidence.

To the prosecution—First read these charges about last July; they may have included the Mayor, but he did not remember exactly.

Q. Have you any opinion as to the guilt or innocence of the Ring, including the Mayor? A. Not so far as regards the Mayor; would not take the mere statements, especially in newspapers; was not connected with anyone on either side in this case.

Mr. Blair was then sworn as juror No. 11. Time, 2:45.

William H. Wilcox, sworn—Was a commission merchant at 302 Pearl street; knew the complaints against the Mayor and had expressed an opinion about them.

The Court—You may stand aside.

John Dick, sworn—Resided at 417 Hudson street; had talked very little about these charges, but had expressed an opinion about them.

The Court—You may stand aside.

William B. Schope, sworn—Knew the charges against the Mayor and had expressed an opinion about them.

The Court—You may stand aside.

Daniel Egan, sworn—Was a fancy goods merchant; had expressed an opinion about the charges.

The Court—You may stand aside.

Philip J. Rouk, sworn—Was a commission butter merchant; had read concerning the charges and had formed and expressed an opinion for or against the defendant.

The Court—You may stand aside.

Lewis E. Silva, sworn—Was in the brush business at No. 90 Eighth avenue; had heard the charges in Court, but had not read anything about them; had talked about them, but not very often; had formed an opinion as to the guilt or innocence of the Mayor.

The Court—You may stand aside.

John J. Carle, sworn—Was a druggist; had formed and expressed an opinion for or against the Mayor.

The Court—You may stand aside.

John M. Carroll was called, but was excused by counsel of both sides.

James S. Blackman, sworn—Was in business at No. 471 Seventh avenue; had not expressed an opinion about these charges against the Mayor; possibly last summer might have expressed an opinion as to the other city officials, but had not thought much about the matter since; could say that what he read had not created any impression on his mind; during last August and September, while he read a paper, could not recollect that he might have read something about this subject; had formed an opinion about the city officials, and so included the Mayor in the [illegible]

The Court—You may stand aside.

Michael J. Newman, sworn—He had expressed opinions for or against the Mayor.

The Court—You may stand aside.

John J. Vandike, sworn—Was an [illegible] merchant at 305 Canal street; had formed and expressed an opinion for or against the Mayor.

The Court—You may stand aside.

Jacob Russel, sworn—Was a [illegible] merchant; had formed an opinion for or against the Mayor.

The Court—You may stand aside.

Terrence Farnadd, sworn—Had expressed an opinion for or against the Mayor.

The Court—You may stand aside.

John Kendall, sworn—Was a manufacturer of patent medicines at 60 Barclay street; had expressed an opinion as to the guilt or innocence of the Mayor.

The Court—You may stand aside.

Thomas Hanson, sworn—Had formed an opinion as to the guilt or innocence of the Mayor.

The Court—You may stand aside.

John Atwill, sworn—Was a dry goods merchant; had formed an opinion about the charges against the Mayor.

The Court—You may stand aside.

James Price, sworn—Had formed no opinion about the guilt or innocence of the Mayor.

Challenged as to favor witness continued—Had read the hearings in the papers about the charges; had as much more as he had time to read; that had made an impression upon his mind; was now more decient in his judgment than he had been then.

By consent the witness was set aside.

John Butler, sworn—Was a speculator; had formed no opinion for or against the Mayor on these charges; was in the Gordon Grays under Mr. Tweed.

The witness was then set aside by consent of both parties.

Philip A. Dugan, sworn—Was a roofer; had formed an opinion about these charges.

The Court—You may stand aside.

George Dunn, sworn—Had formed an opinion about the charges.

The Court—You may stand aside.

Joseph Nonstein, sworn—Was a manufacturer of gold pens at No. 1 Maiden lane; had heard of the charges against the Mayor and had expressed an opinion about them.

The Court—You may stand aside.

James B. Barnhart, sworn—Was a manufacturer of sulphuric acid at 85 John street, had expressed an opinion about the charges.

The Court—You may stand aside.

Albert L. Smith, sworn—Was a clerk; had resided in the city fifteen years; had formed and expressed an opinion about the charges.

The Court—You may stand aside.

Horatio D. Van Sycklen, sworn—Had formed an impression about the charges, but had not expressed an opinion; think the impression would die a natural death without any evidence.

Challenged as to favor witness continued—Had not read much else during the last six months except charges against city officials.

By consent this witness was set aside.

George W. Gilborne, sworn—Was a real estate agent; had neither expressed nor formed any opinion as to the guilt.

Challenged as to favor witness said that he read anything in regard to the Mayor; read the HERALD and newspapers; for the most part remember reading anything special against Mayor Hall in the papers; had a certain reason in his own mind; had no sympathy with them at all; was not acquainted with any of the prosecution except by reputation.

To the prosecution—Had been admitted as a lawyer in 1850, but had never practised.

By consent this witness was excused on the ground of his having been a citizen as a lawyer.

The court then adjourned until this morning, at eleven o'clock.

FREE LOVE ADVOCATES.

A City Marshal's Assistant and His Domestic Troubles—His Wife Exposes the Cause of Her "Friend" in Open Court.

Another interesting case of domestic infelicity has come to light in Yorkville, through the medium of the Police Court in Fifty-seventh street. The facts, as they were developed in the examination, are as follows:—

On the 12th inst. Mr. John Crowell, who is an assistant to City Marshal Farley, of Justice McGuire's Civil Court, in Fifty-seventh street, discovered a man named Edward McCafferty hidden behind the door in his parlor on paying an unexpected visit to his residence, at No. 207 East Fifty-sixth street. McCafferty excused himself by saying he was there on the ground that he was [illegible] Crowell did not [illegible] days after Mrs. Crowell [illegible] was dismissed by her husband, who obtained a warrant for the arrest of McCafferty [illegible] grand larceny. Officer [illegible] of the Yorkville Police Court, was entrusted with the warrant, and arrested McCafferty, whom he succeeded in finding at No. 11 East Twelfth street, [illegible] had also taken up [illegible]

McCafferty being arraigned to answer the charge [illegible] as a witness [illegible] when discovered in the house [illegible] he was there as a friend [illegible] evening testimony in the case was [illegible] discharged.

The case [illegible] on his release [illegible] together. The upshot of the matter is [illegible] will be a suit for divorce on the part of the injured husband. The couple have been married about seven years, but they are without issue.

A HORSE HOLOCAUST.

On Wednesday the large barn of Miss Sarah F. Hayes, of Newark, on her farm at Summit, N. J., caught fire and was entirely destroyed. Eight fine horses and [illegible] were in the barn at the time, and the [illegible] were [illegible]

THE COURTS.

Interesting Proceedings in the United States, New York and Brooklyn Courts.

The Jumel Estate Case—Brick Pomeroy's Courtship and What Came of It—Alleged Violation of the Internal Revenue Law—Important Proceedings in Bankruptcy—Decisions.

UNITED STATES SUPREME COURT.

The Cause Between the Cunard Steamship Scotia and the Berkshire—The Necessity of All Vessels Exhibiting Colored Lights at Sea—The Squabble Between Judge Fisher and Joseph H. Bradley—Another "Seizure" Suit—A Plaintiff Seeks to Recover for Property Never Entered to the Credit of the Government.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28, 1872.

No. 93. Scott et al. vs. Steamer Scotia—Appeal from the Circuit Court for the Southern District of New York.—The appellants, owners of the American ship Berkshire, and on behalf of the owners of her cargo, filed the libel in this case to recover for the loss of the vessel and cargo, sunk in mid ocean by collision with the British steamship Scotia. The defence of the Scotia was that the Berkshire improperly changed her course. When in Hampton Roads the collision would have been avoided, as she did not exhibit the colored lights required by law. The District Court found that the Berkshire had changed her course before her light was discovered by the Scotia, and that there was no subsequent change, of course the charge was not to be deemed a fault on the part of that vessel; but that in view of certain British orders and of certain municipal laws of maritime nations concerned, upon the point of steering and log signals, the laws of the sea must be deemed to be changed in respect to such requirements, so that, at the time of the collision, it was obligatory upon the Berkshire to exhibit colored lights, and that the failure to exhibit them was the cause of the collision. The circuit court, although coming to the conclusion that, aside from the defence to carry side lights, the Berkshire was at fault and the Scotia free from fault, affirmed the decree on the question of lights, holding that under the act of 1864 the same regulation is prescribed and that it is to be enforced in the case of a collision on the high seas, outside the jurisdiction of any nation, even where the suit is between one citizen and citizens of a foreign state. The correctness of this decision is here contested. J. C. Carter for appellants, D. O. Lord and E. G. Benedict for appellees.

No. 115. Joseph H. Bradley vs. George P. Fisher.—Error to the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia. This is the case of Mr. Bradley, Sr., against Judge Fisher to recover damages for the injury sustained by Mr. Bradley by reason of Judge Fisher's action in striking his name from the roll of attorneys of the Court, and the particulars of which will be well remembered. Mr. Bradley, during the trial of Lt. Surratt case, in which he was counsel for Surratt, after the adjournment of the court, approached Judge Fisher, and complaining that the latter had insulted him while on the bench, threatened personal chastisement. The next day, for this offence, Judge Fisher ordered his name to be stricken from the roll of attorneys. The questions presented by the case were, whether Judge Fisher could claim an indignity to the Court by Mr. Bradley's acts, the Court being adjourned previous to the occurrence, and whether he could be sued for any act done in his judicial capacity, such as the order made.

It was decided below that the act of Mr. Bradley was such an act of disrespect to the Court as justified the order made, and that he was not liable in damages for the order so made. This ruling is presented as error in this Court. Mr. Bradley, in person, for plaintiff in error; Messrs. Cook and Riddle for defendant.

No. 18. United States vs. Silvey—Appeal from the Court of Claims.—This was an action to recover the proceeds of seventy-seven bales of cotton, taken by the government forces at Atlanta, Ga. The claimant established to the satisfaction of the Court of Claims that he never gave aid and comfort to the rebellion, and was allowed to recover, the Court finding that he was the owner of the property, and that it had been captured under the Captured and Abandoned Property act, and the proceeds had been paid into the treasury. It is here claimed by the government that as the act requires a book to be kept by the secretary in which the proceeds of all such property paid into the Treasury shall be entered, and as there is no entry of the receipts of the proceeds of the property in this case, the absence of the entry is evidence that no such proceeds were paid into the treasury. This book of accounts, it is urged, should have been received as the best evidence on the subject, and the auditor should have seen that there had been no payment into the treasury, in which case there could have been no recovery. It is also urged that as the act entitles the Court of Claims to give judgment only for the proceeds of property which have been paid into the Treasury, in the absence of the evidence of the entry contended for, as to what the proceeds are, the Court has no data upon which to enter judgment. It has the power to render a *pro rata* judgment, as was done in this case. Hughes, Denver & Peck for claimant; B. H. Bristow and C. H. Hill for government.

No. 24.—United States vs. T. G. W. Crussell. Appeal from the court of Claims. This case presents the same question stated in the foregoing case, and is argued by the same attorneys.

UNITED STATES CIRCUIT COURT.

The Jumel Estate Case.

The further hearing of the case of George Washington Bowen vs. Nelson Chase, was resumed yesterday.

The cross-examination of Mr. Nelson Chase was continued. The testimony related to the suits that had been previously instituted in the State Court in reference to the disposition of the Jumel property and to the part Mr. Chase had taken in those suits; and also to the amount of money he had received out of the property and the sums he had expended on its improvement. Mr. Chase was also inquired about as to what he remembered of the contents of certain affidavits he had made and papers that were introduced in the case. He replied generally that he could not, from memory, state the contents of those papers, but if they were called to his attention he could answer accurately as to what they were supposed to set forth.

The Court ruled that if these papers were inquired about they must be produced.

In reply to a question from opposing counsel as to whether Mr. Chase had not stated that he would spend $7,000 in securing a verdict from the jury, Mr. Chase replied, "No; there is not a word of truth in the statement; it is entirely an idiotic."

Mr. Chase was further cross-examined in relation to alleged declarations made to him by Madame Jumel respecting the parentage of his (Mr. Chase's) first wife, which was objected to and argued, pending which the Court adjourned until this morning at eleven o'clock.

Brick Pomeroy's Courtship.

It will be remembered that a short time ago a lady named Sadie E. Wilkinson, hailing from the Nutmeg State, filed a complaint in the United States Circuit Court against M. M. Pomeroy, known in this city as "Brick" Pomeroy, demanding from him $20,000 for alleged breach of promise of marriage. Yesterday "Brick," through his attorneys, filed his answer to the above complaint. He leads the general issue, and also sets up in his answer a special plea, to the effect that at the time the alleged promise was made the defendant was married; that the plaintiff was not a chaste woman; that she was habitually intemperate; that she was a person of very violent temper; that several times after the alleged promise had been given, she made threats of violence against the defendant, and with pistols and other weapons did assault the defendant at different times and places to his great fear that in consequence of this she was in danger, and that the disposition, habits, conduct and temper of the plaintiff are such as to render unfit for the marriage state, and that the plaintiff was not a fit person to be joined in the holy sacrament of matrimony upon, and he rested her and hence the suit.

Purchasing Whiskey from an Unauthorized Dealer.

In the United States Circuit Court two suits have been instituted against James O'Malloy to recover a penalty for purchasing whiskey from an unauthorized dealer, and the latter to recover a penalty for purchase by which [illegible] entering purchase in his books. Judgment [illegible]

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT—IN BANKRUPTCY.

The Powers and Duties of Registers—Removal of an Assignee in Bankruptcy from His Trust.

Yesterday, in the case of an old firm, a bankrupt, Judge Blatchford received a report upon certain matters referred to him in a report of Register Williams. It appears that John Vandervoort & Brothers, of this city, are creditors of the bankrupt and have duly proved their claim, and that they are informed and believe that one W. [illegible] of Brooklyn, [illegible] assignee of the bankrupt's estate, absconded from New York, [illegible] from the agent and attorney of the plaintiff, and has abandoned his trust. Upon this report the firm of John Vandervoort Brothers presented a petition to the Register, praying that a rule to show cause be issued for the purpose of obtaining the removal of the bankrupt's assignee from his trust and the appointment of a new assignee in his place. Upon the petition the Register issued a rule to show cause, returnable before the Court on the 23d inst., and the petitioners were represented by Mr. Lum, and the assignee was represented by Mr. Dodge. The Register, in his report, stated that the assignee had not been in attendance upon the Register's office since the 12th inst., and that he had neglected to perform the duties of his office, and that he had neglected to comply with the rules of the Court in relation to the keeping of his accounts, and that he had neglected to deposit the money in his hands in a bank, as required by the rules of the Court, and that he had neglected to make a report of his proceedings, as required by the rules of the Court, and that he had neglected to make a report of his proceedings, as required by the rules of the Court, and that he had neglected to make a report of his proceedings

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

"BULLS" AND "BEARS" ON THE QUI VIVE

DEARER RATES FOR MONEY.

The "Bears" Supposed To Be Looking Up Greenbacks.

Gold Off to 110 1-4---Stocks and Governments Lower.

A Little Spurt in Erie—The Last Moments of Mariposa—The Funeral Fixed for To-Day.

Daniel Drew Goes Into the Quicksilver Business.

WALL STREET HONORS ST. PATRICK.

WALL STREET,
WEDNESDAY, Feb. 28—6 P. M.

On 'Change to-day wheat was dull and heavy. The cotton market was unchanged.

MONEY STRINGENT.

The money market was stringent, and borrowers on stock collaterals were compelled to pay as high as 1-16 commission in addition to seven per cent for the use of money over night. The general business of the day on miscellaneous collaterals was at seven per cent, coin. The Government dealers were accommodating at seven per cent, and in exceptional instances had balances left with them at six. The stringency is generally credited to the locking-up operations of speculators on the Stock Exchange, both "bulls" and "bears" being charged with helping it, the former wishing to aggravate the "bears" in advancing certain of the plans now on foot.

Commercial paper was quoted 7 a 8½ per cent discount for prime double names.

Foreign exchange was lower in actual business, but the leading bankers were not inclined to draw except at their full rates, the demand for March, in connection with the redemption of forty millions of public debt, being quite problematical.

GOLD LOWER—110¾ a 110¼.

The gold market was intensely dull, but in the early forenoon displayed some firmness and touched 110¾. Later in the day the activity of the money market and the heaviness of sterling influenced weakness and a decline to 110¼—the sellers being apprehensive of excessive rates for carrying to-morrow. The decline also reflects the preparation of the market for the heavy disbursements of coin by the Treasury in the ensuing month, when the forty million "called" five-twenties are to be redeemed. Recent calculations render it probable that with the exchange which has been made of many of these securities for American railway bonds in the interval since the notice of redemption the actual amount required to pay off European holders will not be more than twenty-five to thirty millions, so that the operation will result in turning ten to fifteen millions of Treasury gold into the banks. The course of the market is shown in the table:—

10 A. M.	110¾	2 P. M.	110¼
11 A. M.	110¾	3 P. M.	110¼
12 M.	110¾	4 P. M.	110¼
12:30 P. M.	110¾	5:30 P. M.	110¾ a 110¼
1 P. M.	110¾		

In the gold loan market the rates ranged from 3 per cent currency to 7 per cent gold for carrying. The operations of the Gold Exchange Bank were as follows:—

Gold cleared	$23,573,000
Gold balances	1,751,096
Currency balances	1,925,920

The Assistant Treasurer paid out $207,000 on account of March interest on the public debt—making a total so far of $2,139,000.

GOVERNMENTS LOWER.

The decline in gold and the more active demand for money weakened the government list and induced a decline of about ¼ per cent. Business here, as elsewhere, was light. The market was only steady at the close, when the following quotations prevailed:—United States currency sixes, 114 a 114¼; do. sixes, 1881, registered, 114¼ a 114¾; do. do., coupon, 115¼ a 115½; do. five-twenties, registered, May and November, 111 a 111¼; do. do., 1862, coupon, do., 111½ a 111¾; do. do., 1864, do. do., 111½ a 111¾; do. do., 1865, do. do., 111¾ a 112; do. do., 1867, registered, January and July, 110¾ a 111¼; do. do., 1865, coupon, do., 110¾ a 111¼; do. do., 1867, do. do., 111¾ a 111¾; do. do., 1868, do. do., 112 a 112¼; do. fives of 1881, funded, registered, 108½ a 108¾; do. do. do., coupon, 108½ a 108¾; do. ten-forties, registered, 107½ a 107¾; do. do., coupon, 110¾ a 110¾.

THE CITY BANK STOCKS.

The following were the bids for the city bank shares:—New York, 135; Manhattan, 146; Merchants', 117; Mechanics', 133; Union, 127; America, 145½; City, 225; Fulton, 158; Gallatin National, 120; Merchants' Exchange, 94; Seventh Ward, 103; State of New York, 112; Mechanics' Banking Association, 110½; Ocean, 90; Mercantile, 125; American Exchange, 115½; Bank of the Republic, 115½; Hanover, 102½; Irving, 124; Metropolitan, 138; East River, 110; Market, 120; Nassau, 105; Shoe and Leather, 151; St. Nicholas, 111½; Marine, 162; Commonwealth, 75; Importers and Traders', 157; Park, 5[illegible]; Manufacturers and Merchants', 95; New York National Exchange, 97; Central National, 101; First National, 290; Fourth National, 110½; Ninth National, 107½; Oriental, 160; Gold Exchange, 103; German-American, 105.

THE RAILROAD BONDS.

The following were the bids for the railroad bonds:—

New York Cen 6's, 1887	92
New York Cen 6's, r.e.	91
New York Cen 6's, sub.	91
New York Cen 7's, 1876	101
Erie 1st m. ex	102
Erie 2d m 7's, '79	100
Erie 7's, 3d m, '83	98
Long Dock bonds	92
Hud, N Y & E 1st m.	94
Hud R 7's, 2d m, s.f. '85	105
Hud R 7's, 3d m, '75	101½
Harlem 1st m, 7's	101½
Harlem con mtge 6's	92½
H & Pots 1st bds	103
H & Pots 2d bds	77½
Pac, Bur & Q, 8 p c, 1st m	114
Pac Sol p c 2d m	92½
Pac R R 7's, guar by Mo.	99½
Pac gold bonds	102½
Union Pac 1st m	91½
Union Pac 7's	81½
Union Pac 10's	96½
Pac R N W 1st m	80
Pac R N W sinking	97
Pac R N W con bds	84
Pac R N W ex bds	84½
Pac R N W 1st m	95½
Pac R St Joseph	96
L Rock & West 1st m	115
L Rock & West 2d m	101
Pac R Wash 1st m, ex	96
Pac R Wash 1st m, St Louis	90
Pac R Wash 2d m	94
Pac R W cons conv	96

SOUTHERN SECURITIES DULL.

The Southern list was generally heavy and dull. The chief exception was in the case of the South Carolinas, which, on telegrams from Columbia of a hidden fund for payment in the Legislature to the way taking fresh action on the financial question, advanced sharply, the new 2d bonds closing 2½ a 3 higher than the day before. Virginias were heavy and North Carolinas steady. Trade closing quotations were as follows:—Tennessees, 6's, coupons, 65½ a 66; do. 5's, 67½ a 68; Virginia, ex coupon, 52 a 55; do. registered sixes, 40 a 45; do. 10-forties, coupon bonds, 55½ a 56; do. do. registered, 47½ a 49; Georgia sixes, 70 a 75; do. sevens, 85 a 90; North Carolina sixes, 34½ a 35; do. fives, 33 a 35; do. funding, 1866, 20 a 25; do. new, 18 a 20; do. special tax, 17½ a 18; Missouri sixes, 90 a 91; do. Hannibal and St. Joseph, 75 a 82½; Louisiana sixes, 60 a 62; do. new, 62 a 65; do. 60 eights, 75 a 80; do. eights, 76½, 60 a 65; do. Penitentiary, 65 a 70; do. Tarrant eights, 70 a 80; Alabama fives, 62 a 65; do. eights, 80 a 85; do. eights, Montgomery and Eufaula Bar, 87 a 90; South Carolina sixes, 55 a 60; do. new, January and July, 21½ a 22; do. do., April and October, 29½ a 31; Arkansas sixes, funded, 55 a 57.

STOCKS DULL AND LOWER.

The stock market opened with a strong effort at buoyancy and activity, the early "bears" being Erie, which advanced suddenly to 23¾, in sympathy with a corresponding rise, if not greater, in Europe. But the movement rapidly subsided, and the market, after an improvement of ¼ a ½ per cent, settled back into its chronic lethargy, finally becoming heavy with the scarcity of money, and closing at a decline of about ½ per cent. Western Union went off one per cent, taking the extremes of the day, and Hannibal and St. Joseph dropped to 28½ for the common and 60 for the preferred. Were there any of the people of Lilliput in Wall street nowadays, and desirous of speculating in stocks, the means could be afforded them in Mariposa, which was dealt in to-day at the infinitesimal price of ¼ a ½. As a looker-on remarked, the buyer of a hundred shares had a perpetual "put" for $25. These low figures represent the gradual obliteration of Mariposa, which will be consummated with the close of this month, the holders of the mortgages having foreclosed their claims and taken possession of the property, creating a new corporation of nearly the same name, into which the holders of the old stock have the privilege of buying by surrendering their certificates and paying a cash assessment. This privilege, if not extended, will expire March 1, after which Mariposa, as known on the Stock Exchange for so many years, will be of the past.

At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Quicksilver Mining Company to-day, the following officers were unanimously elected for the ensuing year:—Directors:—Daniel Drew, Edwin Hoyt, Eugene Kelly, Henry Ward Beecher, George W. Britts, of Providence, R. I.; Ernest B. Lucke, Ludlow Patton, William Butler Duncan, James Low, James S. Thayer, James D. Smith and Edwin D. Stanton, of New York. At a subsequent meeting of the Board of Directors, Daniel Drew was elected President; George W. Britts, Vice President; James D. Smith, Treasurer, and David Mahany, Secretary.

HIGHEST AND LOWEST PRICES.

The following table shows the highest and lowest prices of the principal stocks during the day:—

	Highest.	Lowest.
New York Central	98	97½
New York General scrip	93¾	93
Erie	23¾	23
Reading	93¾	92¾
Lake Shore	93¾	93
Wabash	75¾	75¼
Northwestern	77¾	76¾
Rock Island	111¾	111¼
St. Paul	111¾	111¼
St. Paul preferred	97¾	96¾
Ohio and Mississippi	28¾	28½
Union Pacific	44½	44
Hannibal and St. Joseph	60	59½
Western Union Telegraph	70¾	69¾
Pacific Mail	30¾	30¼

THE HOLIDAY ON MARCH 17.

Whatever difference of opinion existed as to the propriety of a holiday for the Stock Exchange on March 17 (St. Patrick's Day) has disappeared entirely on a calmer consideration of the matter, and business will be suspended on that day by the unanimous consent of the Board. Some of the members who had read the HERALD announcement at the breakfast table yesterday morning hastily formed opinions contrary to the project, but on coming down town and consulting the calendar found it was all right and cheerfully withdrew their objections. Others, too, who had had time given them for reflection about it concluded in the wisdom and propriety of the holiday. One of the editors of the morning English organ, who thought he saw in the affair a revival of the power of Tammany and the insinuation of Fenian influences into the management of the New York Stock Exchange, angrily denounced it as "an infamous outrage," but was also converted later in the day to a more charitable way of thinking. A couple of photosophers on the evening press, who gleefully found a mare's nest in the HERALD article, should immediately apply to Mark Twain to amplify his selection of criticisms on "Innocents Abroad," as published in a recent number of the *Galaxy*. They could outdo the *bonhomie* of those famous reviews and readily eclipse their present glory. One of them ought, indeed, to change his vocation according to his own verdict on another writer similarly situated, who having failed to comprehend the drift of a certain production of the former, was assured that, if he "really read the article and construed it into 'sober earnest,' then he exhibited a want of intelligence and discernment unpardonable in a journalist, especially one who occupied so eminent a position," &c.

SALES AT THE NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE.

Wednesday, Feb. 28—10:15 A. M.

$10,000 US 5-20's, c, '67 b3 111¾
5000 do. b3 111¾
300 0 U S 5's, '81, c. 112
18000 Tenn 6's, new 67
10000 do. b10 67
10000 Va 6's, con b c 55¾
10000 N C 6's, ex i. b3 14
5000 S C 6's, n J & Jy 20½
9000 do. 20½
18000 do. b3 20½
1000 do. 20½
2000 SC 6's n, April Oct 20
2000 N Y 7's, 5d, reg 107
2000 Brooklyn 6's, w i 107¾
1000 Brooklyn 6's, pk i 93¾
1000 Long Dock b 92¾
5000 Alb & Sus sd m 99¾
2000 Mich South 2d m 100
5000 Cen Pac gold b 102¾
2000 do. 102¾
9000 U Pac RR 1st 91¾
1000 Un Pac 6's, loc 86¾
5000 do. 86¾
5000 Pac R Mig 6's 100
2000 Ala & Tenn R pf 88
4000 Cin & N W con 94¾
1000 Cin & N W 1st m 94¾
5000 C & R I & P RR 7's 107
5000 do. b c 107¾
1000 M & Es 2d m 98¾
1000 M & St P 7's, 1st m 104¾
2000 M & St P 5's 10, con 93¾
1000 M & St P 1st, l dir 89¾
5000 do. 89
1000 Cedar Falls & M 1st 93¾
2000 W U Te 7's bds 99¾
10 Ins Phenix Bk 107
40 Bk of S of New Yk 112¾
25 Bk of Commerce 175
50 do. 178
20 Ocean Bank 82
5 Cent Nat Bk 103¾
10 Fourth Nat Bk 110¾
15 Ins & H C Co 120
100 Metropol Gas 214
10 Pacific Ins Co 215
10 Con City N Y 97
200 Quick M Co 25½
200 do. 25½
200 do. b c 25½
200 do. 25½
100 Mariposa pf 1½
500 do. 1½
200 do. b c 1½
7-10 Pac M SS Co 55
500 do. b c 55½
200 do. 55½
1000 do. 55½
1000 do. s 59½

$2000 US 5-20's, '65 c b2 111¾
2000 do. 111¾
12000 US 5-20's, '67 111¾
3000 do. 111¾
5000 US 5's, 10-40's 112¾

$400 Ala & M SS Co 59¾
do. s 59¾
100 American Coal b c 43¾
400 Canton Co b c 85¾
500 West U Te b c 70¾
500 do. b3 70¾
200 do. 70¾
200 do. 70¾
500 do. 70¾
500 do. 70¾
500 do. 69¾
500 do. 69¾
5 Am Mer U Exp 69
10 do. 69
10 Wells, Fargo Ex b c 74
100 U States Express 66¾
100 N Y & H RR b c, s3 97¾
195 Erie Rl 22¾
600 do. 22¾
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WASHINGTON.

The French Musket Muss in the Senate.

Sumner Coming Back to First Principles.

HARLAN PEPPERING SCHURZ

THE "FRENCH SPY" IN THE HOUSE.

The North Carolina Senatorship Majority Report Adverse to Abbott.

DWIGHT TOWNSEND'S BRIGHT IDEA.

Wisconsin Railroad Land Grants.

The Silk Manufacturing Interest Wanting Protection.

OVERHAULING THE IRON-CLADS.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28, 1872.

Sumner Once More on the French Arms Question—Harlan Putting His Back to the Administration Wall.

There was the promise of another field day in the Senate this morning, but when General Logan asked that the cloak rooms be thrown open to the ladies the venerable Senator from Maine was prompt with an ungallant objection, and so Mr. Sumner was compelled to proceed with his task of summing up the case without the background of beauty and fashion he had every reason to anticipate. Sumner's speech was a model of its kind, being calm, dignified and scholarly in all its parts, and notably free from the vulgar political claptrap in which it is the fashion for both sides of the Senate to indulge. He began with an eloquent defence of his friend, the Marquis de Chambrun, speaking of him as being related by ties of blood and marriage to America's two great friends, Lafayette and De Tocqueville, and as broad in his sympathies with the American people. Chambrun, Mr. Sumner said, came to this country in 1865, and soon after his arrival spent several days with President Lincoln at the front in Virginia, joining the President only two days after the fall of Richmond, and returning to Washington to weep with the nation over the work of the assassin. The Senator declared that he had learned nothing from the Marquis in relation to the sale of arms to France previous to the introduction of his resolution; but, as an American Senator, he claimed the right to obtain information from any quarter to be used in the discharge of his duty.

The whole fight has gradually shifted from the original intention of the inquiry, and Mr. Sumner having distinctly abandoned the charge of a discrepancy between the accounts of the Treasury and the War Department, nothing remains. Mr. Sumner labored very hard to fix the charge of furnishing arms to France upon the War Department, by quoting over and over again the words of Remington's letter, but he left the whole subject much weaker than upon the first assault.

Mr. Harlan took the floor in response, and charged Chambrun with instigating this inquiry. The rest of his speech concerned the "general order" business and other political topics, and consumed as much time in his delivery as the elaborate argument of Mr. Sumner. Mr. Harlan's speech was much commended for its strong sense and the fearlessness displayed in defending the administration from the attack of its enemies. Mr. Schurz made a short reply and further developing his new position, by which he seeks to show that the Ordnance Department continued the sale of arms, although the supply on hand was not sufficient for the necessities of our own service. It is probable that a conclusion of the question will be reached to-morrow, though this is by no means certain. Mr. Carpenter has the floor, and the discussion may be prolonged for two or three days yet.

The vote on the motion to reconsider the vote adopting Mr. Conkling's resolution providing for an inquiry into the conduct of Senators, as well as other officials, in this matter, showed the recalcitrant republicans to stand much the same as in the beginning of the session. Ferry, of Connecticut, Logan, Robertson, Schurz, Sprague, Sumner, Tipton and Trumbull voted for reconsideration, while Sawyer, who votes both ways, went against it. When the resolution passes it will be much eliminated from its original offensive shape, and care will be taken not to let the blunder of the House creep into it. Mr. Lynch, in his haste to foretsal the purposed investigation of the Senate and at the same time to serve the administration, acted with such precipitation in passing his resolution through the House on Monday that the part of the Senate resolution which is most offensive was adopted. The House resolution was copied to some extent from Mr. Sumner's elaborate production, and provides for an inquiry into the parties interested in the purchase as well as the sale of arms, and the sums received and paid by them. This is regarded as an investigation in behalf of the Marquis de Chambrun and of France, and it has brought the investigation by the House Committee on the War Department to a sudden stand. An effort was made to-day to amend it, but so far without success. The whole business is a nuisance, and everybody is becoming convinced that the action of neither house has any significance, and that even as a partisan measure it is trivial.

The House French Purchase Inquiry.

William Williams, of Indiana, chairman of the suddenly important Committee on Expenditures in the War Department, expresses his intention to push the investigation into the sales of arms by the United States during the period of the Franco-German war, and will summon Senators Sumner and Schurz before the Committee to tell all they know at an early day. The Secretary of War and the Chief of Ordnance will also be examined at length very soon.

The House and Withdrawing Our Force.

The manner of Congress in regard to the withdrawal of our squadron before the General Tribunal was well illustrated to-day in the House by the reception accorded to Mr. Dwight Townsend's resolution. The introduction of the resolution was objected to by several Representatives, but as in addition to the contemplated withdrawal of the case, Mr. Townsend wanted the whole question submitted to the arbitration of John Bright, the objections of Mr. William P. Roberts, of New York, were silenced with much ease. This matter, though it was taken up in a disjointed manner, is one of very important bearing, and what action the House may take in the subject is referred upon Congress by the President, as is now contemplated.

Overhauling the Rotten-Decked Ironclads.

The Chief of the Bureau of Construction and Repair of the Navy Department, in his last annual report to Secretary Robeson, says that the deck beams of almost all the iron class of ironclads are very much decayed, and he says it is impossible for foreign iron, except something unforeseen, is for their services. In the opinion of the Secretary of the Navy that time has come, and to-day orders were issued to immediately proceed with a thorough overhauling of the iron available iron-clads and to put in new decks, new deck beams and new wood work to the overhanglaps. With these repairs it is supposed they will then be as good for practical service as new. The commandants of the several navy yards where the ironclads are laid up are instructed to proceed without delay in executing the orders of the department. Secretary Robeson will also ask the Committee on Appropriations to insert a clause in the Navy Appropriation bill to enable him to carry out the work at his discretion.

Chandler's Report on Our Navy.

The Secretary of the Navy has not yet received the report of Commodore Chandler, the commander of our naval force in the Mediterranean, but he expects it in a few days. Chandler's report will be very full and will be of great value to the Navy Department, as it will show the exact condition of our naval force in those waters, and will also show the cost of our naval force in those waters, and will also show the cost of our naval force in those waters, and will also show the cost

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALES.

Cooks, &c.

1 WEST 37TH ST., PRESENT EMPLOYER'S.—AS COOK or chambermaid and laundress.

64 WEST 46TH ST. A RESPECTABLE GERMAN girl as first class cook in a private family; best recommendations.

64 WASHINGTON PLACE.—A RESPECTABLE WOman as cook; would assist in fine washing; no objection to go a short way in the country; city reference.

106 WEST 22D ST., NEAR 6TH AV. A RESPECTable young woman as cook in a private family; best city references. Call or address.

107 WEST 15TH ST.—A RESPECTABLE WOMAN AS plain cook in a small private family; would assist in washing. Can be seen for two days.

109 WEST 15TH ST., REAR, UPPER HOUSE, SECond floor, front room.—As first class cook; understands all kinds of cooking; no objection to the country; good city reference.

132 WEST 15TH ST.—A RESPECTABLE YOUNG woman to cook, wash and iron; go of reference.

144 WEST 10TH ST., FIRST FLOOR, IN THE REAR.—A respectable girl to cook, wash and iron; best city reference from last place.

150 WEST 28TH ST.—A RESPECTABLE YOUNG GIRL as good cook; excellent baker; first rate washer and ironer; no objection to a private boarding house; city reference.

154 WEST 18TH ST.—A RESPECTABLE YOUNG girl as plain cook, washer and ironer, or would do general housework; good city reference.

157 WEST 41ST ST., BETWEEN BROADWAY AND 7th av.—As good cook, washer and ironer in a small private family; excellent references.

158 WEST 28TH ST., BETWEEN 6TH AND 7TH avs., second floor, front room.—A respectable girl as cook in a small private family; best city reference. Can be seen for two days.

166 WEST 27TH ST.—AS GOOD PLAIN COOK; HAS no objections to a private boarding house; best city reference.

194 10TH AV., FIRST FLOOR, BACK.—A RESPECTable woman as cook; thoroughly understands her business; best city reference. Can be seen for two days.

202 WEST 27TH ST., ROOM 8.—A RESPECTABLE young girl as cook and to assist in washing; best city reference.

208 WEST 33D ST.—A RESPECTABLE GIRL AS good cook; will assist in the washing in a private family; has best city reference.

215 WEST 27TH ST., BETWEEN 7TH AND 8TH avs.—A respectable girl as cook, washer and ironer; good reference.

216 WEST 27TH ST., ROOM 9.—AS COOK IN A private family; understands meats, soups and pastry; willing to assist in washing if necessary; city references.

217 WEST 28TH ST., TOP FLOOR.—A PROTESTANT woman as plain cook and to assist with washing; has good city reference.

217 WEST 28TH ST., REAR HOUSE.—A RESPECTable woman as first class cook; will assist with coarse washing; city or country; best city references.

220 WEST 27TH ST.—A FIRST CLASS ENGLISH woman as public cook; no objection to a large boarding house; good references.

221 EAST 38TH ST.—A RESPECTABLE ENGLISH woman as first class cook; would take entire charge of a kitchen if required. Mrs W.

232 EAST 45TH ST., BETWEEN 2D AND 3D AVS.—As first class cook; understands all kinds of cooking; an excellent baker and good washer and ironer; good city reference.

239 WEST 27TH ST., NEAR 8TH AV.—A MIDDLEaged woman as good cook; is a first class baker of all kinds; has the best city reference.

245 WEST 27TH ST.—TWO RESPECTABLE GIRLS: one as good plain cook, washer and ironer; the other as chambermaid and waitress and to assist in the washing; private family; city reference.

280 8TH AV. (PRESENT EMPLOYER'S).—A CAPAble young woman as first class cook; would do coarse washing; best city reference. Address or call from 10 till 3.

307 7TH AV., FIRST FLOOR.—A RESPECTABLE woman as cook; thoroughly understands cooking, baking and pastry; city reference given.

308 WEST 38TH ST.—A RESPECTABLE YOUNG woman as most excellent cook; best city reference.

309 EAST 24TH ST., SECOND FLOOR.—A RESPECTable girl as good cook, and is willing to assist in the washing and ironing; best city reference from her last place. Call for two days.

310 STANTON ST., BETWEEN LEWIS AND Gouck, in the store.—A respectable girl as first class cook; understands baking and making butter; no objection to a large family; country preferred; best reference. Can be seen for two days.

317 EAST 45TH ST., BETWEEN 1ST AND 2D AVS.—A young girl to cook, wash and iron in a small private family; city reference.

325 EAST 34TH ST.—A YOUNG WOMAN IN A PRIvate family; is a good cook, washer and ironer; has good city reference.

334 EAST 11TH ST.—AN EXPERIENCED WOMAN as cook and to assist in washing; is a good baker; best city reference.

337 EAST 13TH ST.—AS GOOD COOK, WASHER and ironer; best city reference.

337 EAST 16TH ST., THIRD FLOOR.—A FIRST class cook in a fine Jewish family. Call for three days. Mrs. JATZ.

339 EAST 30TH ST. (RING THE FIFTH BELL).—A respectable girl as plain cook, washer and ironer in a small family; best city reference.

342 3D AV., IN THE UMBRELLA STORE.—AS cook and to assist in washing and ironing; a first rate cook, excellent washer and ironer; best city reference. Can be seen for two days.

343 EAST 11TH ST., SECOND FLOOR.—A RESpectable woman as cook or laundress; city reference.

349 EAST 23D ST.—A FIRST CLASS PROTESTANT cook in a private family; best references; would go a short distance in the country. Call for two days.

349 WEST 21ST ST., NEAR 9TH AV.—A MIDDLEaged Scotchwoman as first class cook; understands all kinds of soups, desserts, meats, &c.; also care of milk and butter; would go to the country; 25 years' experience. Call for two days.

361 WEST 25TH ST., BETWEEN 8TH AND 9TH avs., first floor, front rooms.—Two girls, to live together in a private family; one as good plain cook, washer and ironer; the other as chambermaid and waitress. Can be seen until 10 o'clock Friday morning.

391 BOWERY, FIRST FLOOR.—A YOUNG WOMAN as first class cook; is willing to do some coarse washing; good city reference.

486 7TH AV., BETWEEN 26TH AND 27TH STS.—A respectable girl as good plain cook and to assist with washing and ironing; excellent references.

603 3D AV., BETWEEN 39TH AND 40TH STS.—A respectable young girl as plain cook; is a good washer and ironer, and willing to make herself generally useful.

604 6TH AV.—A WOMAN AS FIRST CLASS COOK; thoroughly understands her business in all its branches; best references.

610 2D AV., BETWEEN 33D AND 34TH STS., TOP floor.—A respectable woman as good cook, washer and ironer in a private family; good references.

709 7TH AV., NEAR 48TH ST., IN THE STORE.—A competent woman as first class cook in a private family; best city reference.

751 3D AV., FIRST FLOOR, BACK ROOM.—A RESpectable girl as good plain cook, to assist in the washing; good city reference.

801 5TH AV., BETWEEN 45TH AND 46TH STS.—Two respectable girls, one to cook, wash and iron, the other as chambermaid and waitress; good city reference.

840 2D AV., BETWEEN 35TH AND 36TH STS. (RING top door bell).—Two respectable, competent girls to go together or separate; one as good cook; the other as chambermaid and waitress; will do the washing and ironing between them; over two years' city references from last employers.

949 2D AV., BETWEEN 56TH AND 57TH STS., TOP floor.—A young woman as cook in a boarding house; understands bread and biscuit making; first rate reference.

1,300 5D AV., CORNER 25TH ST.—A FRENCH woman as professed cook; best city reference from her last employer, who can be seen. Call or address Ring top bell.

AS FIRST CLASS COOK, UNDERSTANDS FRENCH and American cooking; not objected to a first class hotel, where there is a first class man cook kept; best references. Address for two days R., box 135 Herald office.

A RESPECTABLE PROTESTANT WOMAN AS COOK; assist in washing or general housework, in a small family; wishes her daughter along, bright and intelligent girl, aged eleven; no objection to country; reference given. Address W. F. R., Herald office.

SITUATION WANTED BY A FIRST CLASS BEAUTA-ranting cook and confectioner; macaroons made like home-made and tastefully in all its branches; a situation in the country preferred. Address O. Y., Herald Uptown Branch office, 1,265 Broadway.

WANTED—A SITUATION AS PLAIN COOK IN A small family; not less than $14 per month. Address R. L., Herald office.

Chambermaids, &c.

23 WEST 44TH ST.—A RESPECTABLE GIRL AS chambermaid and to assist with the washing; good city reference.

32 WEST 46TH ST.—A YOUNG GIRL AS CHAMBER maid and waitress; understands her business thoroughly; willing to assist in the kitchen; city or country; good city references.

35 EAST 17TH ST., BETWEEN 6TH AV. AND Broadway, second floor, front room.—A respectable girl as chambermaid and to assist with plain washing and ironing; best city reference.

37 WEST 14TH ST.—AS CHAMBERMAID AND TO ASsist in washing. Can be seen at her present place.

101 WEST 27TH ST., NEAR 6TH AV.—AS CHAMBERmaid; would not object to assist in washing.

122 WEST 10TH ST., TOP FLOOR.—A RESPECTAble girl as chambermaid; to sew some or as nurse and to do plain sewing; good city references.

138 WEST 45TH ST.—A COMPETENT GERMAN GIRL as chambermaid and to sew or with fine washing and ironing in a small family; can take care of one boy; best reference.

150 WEST 26TH ST.—A RESPECTABLE SCOTCH girl as chambermaid and to assist in washing; understands her business thoroughly; references if required.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALES.

Chambermaids, &c.

199 HESTER ST., BETWEEN MULBERRY AND Baxter, top floor.—A young German girl as chambermaid and seamstress, or to take care of children.

200 WEST 46TH ST.—A YOUNG GIRL AS CHAMbermaid and nurse. Can be seen for two days.

200 WEST 24TH ST.—A RESPECTABLE YOUNG girl, lately landed, as chambermaid in a respectable family; no objection to assist in waiting.

204 WEST 34TH ST.—A COMPETENT YOUNG WOman as chambermaid and waitress; best city reference.

212 WEST 27TH ST., ROOM 6.—A YOUNG GIRL AS chambermaid and waitress; has no objection to a boarding house. Best city references.

221 WEST 26TH ST.—A RESPECTABLE YOUNG woman as chambermaid and waitress; no objection to a boarding house; is very obliging; good reference.

237 EAST 25TH ST., BETWEEN 2D AND 3D AVS.—A respectable girl as chambermaid and seamstress in a private family.

241 EAST 22D ST.—A RESPECTABLE YOUNG GIRL, aged 16, as chambermaid or waitress; is willing and obliging; good city reference from her last place. Call or address.

242 WEST 41ST ST., BETWEEN 7TH AND 8TH avs.—A young woman as chambermaid and waitress, or as chambermaid and nurse; will be found willing and obliging; best city reference.

244 27TH ST., BETWEEN 2D AND 3D AVS.—A REspectable girl as chambermaid and to assist in washing and ironing in a private family; good city reference.

254 WEST 30TH ST., BETWEEN 7TH AND 8TH avs., second floor, back room.—As chambermaid and waitress in a first class boarding house; best city and country references.

256 WEST 41ST ST.—A COMPETENT AND REspectable young girl as chambermaid; no objection to assist with washing and ironing; good city reference.

258 WEST 13TH ST., PRESENT EMPLOYER'S.—A respectable girl as chambermaid in a private family and to do plain or fancy sewing.

306 EAST 28TH ST.—A RESPECTABLE GIRL AS chambermaid and to do fine washing and ironing or as seamstress; good references.

332 EAST 24TH ST., TOP FLOOR, FRONT ROOM.—A young girl as chamber maid and waitress, or as chambermaid and to take care of children; good city reference. Can be seen for two days.

333 WEST 40TH ST.—A YOUNG GIRL AS CHAMbermaid and waitress; city or country.

339 EAST 22D ST., FIRST FLOOR, FRONT ROOM.—A respectable girl as chambermaid or waitress in a private family; will assist with washing and ironing.

340 WEST 25TH ST.—A RESPECTABLE PROTESTant girl to do chamberwork and sewing in a private family.

340 WEST 25TH ST., TOP FLOOR, FRONT ROOM.—A respectable young girl as chambermaid and waitress in a private family, or as nurse and to do plain sewing; the best city reference.

414 WEST 26TH ST., TOP FLOOR, FRONT.—A RESpectable young girl as chambermaid; is a good needle worker; or would help with washing; will be found honest, willing and obliging.

424 WEST 20TH ST.—AN ENGLISH PROTESTANT girl as chambermaid and waitress in a small private family. Can be seen at present employer's.

427 EAST 14TH ST., FIRST FLOOR, BACK ROOM.—A respectable girl to do chamberwork, waiting and housework in a small private family; city reference.

428 WEST 33D ST.—A RESPECTABLE GIRL AS chambermaid and waitress or to do plain sewing; city reference. Call for two days.

430 EAST 15TH ST.—A YOUNG WOMAN TO DO chamberwork and fine washing; would go as laundress; good city reference. Address.

432 WEST 40TH ST.—A PROTESTANT YOUNG WOman to do chamberwork and sewing, or sewing and to take care of children; city reference.

439 EAST 17TH ST., TOP FLOOR, FRONT ROOM.—A respectable young woman as chambermaid and to assist with washing and ironing; best reference.

461 3D AV., BETWEEN 31ST AND 32D STS.—A respectable young woman as chambermaid and seamstress in a private family; can operate on Wheeler & Wilson sewing machine; good city reference.

462 7TH AV.—A YOUNG AMERICAN GIRL AS chambermaid and first class waitress; best city reference. Can be seen for two days.

490 7TH AV., BETWEEN 26TH AND 27TH STS.—A respectable girl in a private family as chambermaid and to assist with the washing; good city references.

526 EAST 12TH ST., TOP FLOOR.—A RESPECTable young girl (lately arrived from the old country) as chambermaid or to mind children. Call for two days.

568 7TH AV.—A RESPECTABLE WOMAN AS chambermaid and ladies' maid; willing and obliging; good reference from her last place.

761 8TH AV., NEAR 47TH ST.—A RESPECTABLE young girl to do chamberwork and waiting; best city reference.

881 3D AV., BETWEEN 53D AND 54TH STS.—A young girl as chambermaid or to take care of growing children; best city reference from her last place.

1,161 2D AV., 61ST ST.—A RESPECTABLE YOUNG girl as chambermaid and waitress, and is willing to assist in the washing and ironing, in a private family; has good reference.

Dressmakers and Seamstresses.

8 EAST 9TH ST.—A RESPECTABLE PERSON AS seamstress; can operate on Grover & Baker and other machines; has a knowledge of dressmaking; would be willing to do light chamberwork or see to a grown child; first class city reference.

21 WEST 13TH ST.—A FIRST CLASS DRESSMAKER to go out by the day; understands dressmaking in all its branches; has an assistant who is a thorough seamstress, and who understands the sewing machine perfectly. Call on or address DRESSMAKER.

49 MACDOUGAL ST.—A COMPETENT DRESSMAKER wishes a few more engagements to go out by the day; latest fashions; best reference. Call or address.

63 CLINTON PLACE, 8TH ST., NEAR 5TH AV.—MME. GRENIER does French dressmaking in all its branches; her charges for elegant evenings and walking costumes are far less than any first class reliable dressmaker in this city.

136 WEST 35TH ST.—AN AMERICAN LADY, A Protestant, as seamstress; would make herself obliging; to assist with light housework; can give the best reference.

159 WEST 26TH ST.—A FIRST CLASS DRESSMAKER wishes a few more customers at her home; dresses remodelled and trimmed; evening dresses a specialty; moderate prices; a few first class engagements by the day accepted.

173 7TH AV.—A DRESSMAKER WISHES A FEW more engagements for the season; understands all kinds of children's clothing; has a sewing machine of her own; ten shillings per day; no notes answered; best city reference.

206 EAST 26TH ST., NEAR 3D AV.—A PROTESTant girl as seamstress and would take charge of two growing children; can cut and fit children's clothes and operate; city or country.

228 WEST 26TH ST., NEAR 7TH AV.—A FIRST class dressmaker, in a first class family, as seamstress; would go out by the day or week. Call all the week.

230 EAST 54TH ST.—A RESPECTABLE YOUNG woman wishes a few more customers to go out by the day as dressmaker; thoroughly understands her business in cutting and fitting all kinds of ladies' dresses; can operate on several machines if required. Address all the week M. D., Dressmaker.

237 EAST 28TH ST.—A COMPETENT SEAMSTRESS wishes a few engagements to go out by the day, week or month; can work with a dressmaker or finish work after one; can alter and trim dresses; can operate on Wheeler & Wilson's machine. Can refer to ladies.

241 WEST 22D ST., BETWEEN 7TH AND 8TH AVS.—A fashionable dressmaker, who can cut and fit well, and thoroughly understands all kinds of dressmaking, would go out by the day or week.

247 44TH ST., NEAR 2D AV.—A RESPECTABLE young woman as seamstress; will go out by the day or month; best city reference.

247 EAST 25TH ST. A RESPECTABLE YOUNG Protestant girl as seamstress; can cut and fit for children; good reference; no objection to go a short distance in the country.

326 WEST 27TH ST., BETWEEN 6TH AND 7TH avs.—Two sisters would like to live together in a private family; one as seamstress; can operate on Wilcox & Gibbs' machine; would assist in chamberwork; the other as waitress; has no objection to assist in sewing or chamberwork or any work required; best city references. Call for two days.

329 EAST 47TH ST.—A COMPETENT WOMAN AS seamstress; understands all kinds of family sewing; city or country; is a good operator.

342 EAST 18TH ST.—A DRESSMAKER OF EXperience can take entire the work of a few more customers at her house; particular attention given to the remodelling and making over of dresses; terms reasonable. Address DRESSMAKER, care of Mrs. F. Fox.

423 HUDSON AV., BROOKLYN.—A RESPECTABLE woman as seamstress; no objection to assist with light chamberwork or to mind children; can cut and fit.

General Housework, &c.

32 VANDAM ST.—A WOMAN TO DO GENERAL housework, a good cook, washer and ironer. Can be seen for two days.

62 LEROY ST., FIRST FLOOR, BACK ROOM.—A respectable girl to do general housework; is willing and obliging.

81 PERRY ST., BASEMENT.—A RESPECTABLE young girl to do housework in a small family; will go a short distance in the country. Call for two days.

78 WEST 3RD ST.—A LADY WOULD LIKE A POSItion where she can assist or take whole charge of a household; is fond of children and will take whole charge of their wardrobes; city or country; will maintain great reserve honesty and respectability. Address Miss GRAY.

115 WEST 20TH ST.—A MIDDLE AGED WOMAN TO do general housework in a small family; city or country.

137 WEST 19TH ST.—A PROTESTANT GIRL TO DO general housework where there are three or four in family.

159 EAST 27TH ST., CORNER 3D AV.—A RESPECTable girl wishes to do general housework in a small private family; is a good washer and ironer; good plain cook; city references.

205 VARICK ST.—A RESPECTABLE YOUNG WOMAN to do general housework in a small private family; best city references. Call for two days.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALES.

General Housework, &c.

230 EAST 30TH ST., TOP FLOOR.—A RESPECTable young girl to do general housework in a small private family; good city reference.

218 WEST 41ST ST., BETWEEN 7TH AND 8TH AVS.—A respectable woman to do general housework in a private family.

252 WEST 16TH ST.—A RESPECTABLE GIRL TO DO general housework in a private family; good city reference.

262 8TH AV.—A COMPETENT GIRL AS CHAMBERmaid, or would take charge of a baby. Can be seen at her present employer's.

310 WEST 18TH ST., BETWEEN 5TH AND 6TH AVS.—A young girl to do general housework in a private family.

311 WEST 44TH ST., SECOND FLOOR, REAR.—A young woman to do general housework in a small private family; good washer and ironer.

317 EAST 45TH ST., BETWEEN 1ST AND 2D AVS.—A young girl to do general housework in a small private family; city reference.

382 3D AV., BETWEEN 27TH AND 28TH STS., rear house.—A respectable young woman to do general housework in a small private family; willing and obliging; city references.

438 WEST 31ST ST.—A RESPECTABLE WOMAN to do housework; has a child nearly five years old; wages no object. Good city references can be given.

444 WEST 28TH ST.—A RESPECTABLE GIRL TO do general housework in a small family; is willing and obliging.

578 2D AV., ENTRANCE ON 22D ST.—A YOUNG GIRL to do general housework in a small private family; good city reference.

1,133 2D AV., BETWEEN 59TH AND 60TH STS.—A young girl to do housework in a private family; good reference.

A RESPECTABLE YOUNG WOMAN WISHES A SITUAtion in a small private family to do housework; is a good plain cook, washer and ironer. Call between 116th and 117th sts., on 4th av., over the grocery store.

Housekeepers, &c.

18 RIDGE ST.—A HIGHLY RESPECTABLE AND EFficient woman as housekeeper in a gentleman's family; has had many years' experience; is capable and not afraid to work; excellent city reference. Address or call on A. R.

54 EAST 12TH ST.—A LADY, A WIDOW AND A stranger in the city, as housekeeper in a widower's or bachelor's house. Address Mrs. LONG.

85 EAST 4TH ST.—AS HOUSEKEEPER IN A HOTEL, or any position of trust, by an American woman; has had many years' experience. Address HOUSEKEEPER.

227 EAST 46TH ST.—A WIDOW WOMAN AS HOUSEKeeper in a private family or hotel; good reference.

233 WEST 23D ST.—A YOUNG WOMAN AS housekeeper; no objection to go a short distance in the country. Apply for two days.

1,555 3D AV., NEAR 87TH ST.—A PROTESTANT lady as housekeeper, lady's travelling companion or nurse in a respectable family. Call on or address H. H. HOWE.

A FIRST CLASS HOTEL HOUSEKEEPER WANTS TO make an engagement with a large first class house in this city or at the West; reference, present employer. Address HOTEL, station D.

A YOUNG LADY WISHES A POSITION IN A WIDOWer's family as housekeeper; no objection to children; willing to see after their wardrobe. Address, appointing interview, M. E., box 186 Herald office.

A YOUNG LADY OF PLEASING ADDRESS AND GOOD birth would like a situation as housekeeper in a gentleman's family. Address Miss HOHM, Brooklyn Post office, for one week.

A LADY OF EDUCATION AND EXPERIENCE WOULD be glad of a position as housekeeper, companion, or would take care of children; understands cutting and sewing, and is willing to make herself generally useful. None but reliable parties need answer. Address Mrs. F., box 120 Herald Uptown Branch office.

Laundresses, &c.

11 WAVERLEY PLACE.—A RESPECTABLE GIRL AS competent laundress in a private family; seven years' city reference. Can be seen until engaged.

48 CLARKSON ST., BASEMENT.—A RESPECTABLE American woman to go out washing and ironing by the day, or will do plain sewing at home; good reference.

105 WEST 20TH ST., NEAR 6TH AV., THIRD floor, back room.—A respectable young woman as laundress; understands fine washing, ironing and French fluting; good city reference.

132 WEST 19TH ST.—A RESPECTABLE WOMAN TO go out by the day washing or housecleaning; would do general housework. Can be seen for two days.

133 WEST 33D ST., FIRST FLOOR, REAR.—A RESpectable widow woman wants families' washing; understands French fluting, puffing and shirt polishing.

144 EAST 42D ST.—A RELIABLE, COMPETENT Protestant laundress solicits families' or gentlemen's washing to do at home; understands fluting. Call or address S. B.

159 WEST 33D ST.—AS FIRST CLASS LAUNDRESS; thoroughly understands her business; French fluting, or all kinds fineries; best city reference.

210 WEST 32D ST., REAR HOUSE, SECOND FLOOR.—A respectable young woman solicits a few families' washing; excellent city references. Call or address.

215 EAST 35TH ST.—A RESPECTABLE COOK; would not object to assist in the washing and ironing.

216 WEST 29TH ST., FIRST FLOOR, BACK ROOM.—A competent colored woman solicits ladies' and gentlemen's washing to do at home.

242 ELIZABETH ST., BETWEEN PRINCE AND Houston.—A respectable Protestant woman as laundress; can do fluting. Call for two days.

254 WEST 41ST ST.—A RESPECTABLE WOMAN TO take in washing and ironing; is a first class laundress. Best city reference.

302 WEST 29TH ST.—A RESPECTABLE GIRL AS laundress; best reference; country place preferred.

307 MOTT ST., BETWEEN BLEECKER AND Houston.—A respectable woman wishes ladies' and gentlemen's washing at her own house; can do washing and ironing in the neatest manner. Apply or address.

320 EAST 28TH ST.—FIRST CLASS WASHING AND ironing; country bleaching and whitening without the aid of chemicals.

335 EAST 32D ST., FIRST FLOOR.—A RESPECTable married woman wishes some washing at her own house; is lately landed from London and understands fluting and ironing perfectly; $1 per dozen.

390 6TH AV.—A RESPECTABLE FRENCH WOMAN as first class laundress.

399 1ST AV., NEAR 22D ST., IN THE FANCY store.—As first class laundress; understands French fluting and fine linen; best city reference.

405 5TH AV.—AS FIRST CLASS LAUNDRESS IN A private family; best city reference.

414 EAST 18TH ST., BETWEEN 1ST AV. AND AV. A.—A respectable woman as laundress in a family or boarding house; good reference.

436 EAST 8TH ST.—A PROTESTANT GIRL AS laundress in a private family.

483 2D AV., BETWEEN 32D AND 33D STS.—A RESpectable girl as first class laundress; can be highly recommended from her last employer's.

504 1ST AV.—A WOMAN TO GO OUT BY THE DAY to wash or do housecleaning; can go any day except Monday; will do washing and ironing at home good and cheap. Call or address.

516 WEST 28TH ST.—A FIRST CLASS LAUNDRESS wishes to do washing and ironing at her home by the dozen, bundle or week; does fluting; good city reference.

534 WEST 47TH ST.—A RESPECTABLE WOMAN wants family's washing and ironing; good reference.

545 2D AV., BETWEEN 35TH AND 36TH STS.—A respectable girl as first class laundress in a private family; understands all kinds of fluting; excellent city reference. Call on or address, for two days, LAUNDRESS.

970 8TH AV., CORNER 57TH ST.—A RESPECTABLE person wishes to obtain family washing; best reference given and required.

1,449 3D AV., CORNER OF 82D ST.—A YOUNG girl, a first class laundress, to go out by the day to do washing or house cleaning.

Nurses, &c.

39 CANNON ST., REAR.—AN AMERICAN LADY, with a full breast of milk, as wet nurse.

43 EAST 3RD ST.—A YOUNG GIRL AS NURSE AND seamstress, to take care of growing children.

95 4TH AV.—A RESPECTABLE PROTESTANT WOman as lady's nurse; can take a have from birth and bring it up on the bottle; is a good plain sewer; best city reference. Call on or address.

96 WARREN ST., ROOM 16, BROOKLYN.—A YOUNG American girl as child's nurse. Call or address.

100 WEST 30TH ST.—A COMPETENT YOUNG woman as nurse and seamstress; no objection to the country; good references.

115 EAST 26TH ST.—A GIRL AS INFANTS' NURSE, or for growing children and sewing. Apply at present employer's.

128 EAST 31ST ST.—A YOUNG GERMAN LADY, having the highest references, as nurse to young children and to make herself generally useful; no objection to go in the country. Call after 10.

136 EAST 15TH ST.—AN EXPERIENCED MONTHLY nurse, disengaged just now, wishes a few more engagements; can be well recommended by some of the most prominent doctors in New York and Jersey. Call or address.

141 WEST 30TH ST.—A SCOTCH PROTESTANT WOman as wet nurse; best city reference. Call for two days.

146 EAST 3RD ST.—A RESPECTABLE PROTESTANT girl as nurse; thoroughly understands the care of children; good reference and well recommended.

155 WEST 37TH ST.—A RESPECTABLE SCOTCH Presbyterian woman as competent nurse for an infant; can take a child from birth; is a neat plain sewer; would go a short distance in the country; has best city references.

161 WEST 3RD ST., CORNER 7TH AV.—A RESPECTable young girl, just landed, as nurse and chambermaid, or to do plain sewing; is willing and obliging and not afraid of work. Call or address.

170 8D AV., IN THE STORE.—A GERMAN PROTestant person as nurse; can sew by hand or machine.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALES.

Nurses, &c.

212 WEST 27TH ST., ROOM 12.—A COMPETENT girl as infants' nurse, or children of any age; is good in both capacities; ten years' experience; is a good plain seamstress; can come well recommended by last employer.

224 WEST 17TH ST.—A RESPECTABLE WOMAN as nurse in a private family; can do plain sewing and embroidery; good city reference.

226 EAST 47TH ST., FIRST FLOOR.—A RESPECTable young girl to take care of children.

228 WEST 43D ST., BETWEEN 7TH AND 8TH AVS., in the store.—A young married woman as wet nurse; excellent reference.

234 WEST 31ST ST.—AS NURSE; COMPETENT, willing and obliging; can knit and sew; none need apply unless having an infant; best city reference.

239 EAST 46TH ST., TWO FLIGHTS STAIRS UP.—A young girl speaking French and English, to mind one or two small children and do sewing.

241 WOOSTER ST.—A SWISS-FRENCH GIRL AS nurse or waitress and to assist with the chamberwork; no objection to the country. Apply to Mr. Vauclair, French dyer.

313 EAST 32D ST.—A YOUNG GIRL TO MIND growing children; can come highly recommended by her former employer, where she can be seen; no objection to the country.

314 UNION ST.—A RESPECTABLE YOUNG MARried woman as wet nurse. Call this week.

332 EAST 3RD ST., BETWEEN 1ST AND 2D AVS.—A respectable young woman as nurse and plain sewer; can take the entire charge of a baby from its birth; good city reference.

345 EAST 25TH ST., SECOND FLOOR, FRONT.—A respectable married woman, with a fresh breast of milk, as nurse in a private family. Call or address for two days.

345 EAST 25TH ST.—A RESPECTABLE MARRIED woman as wet nurse; just lost her baby, two weeks old. Call or address for two days.

415 EAST 14TH ST.—A RESPECTABLE PROTESTant girl as nurse and to do plain sewing; best reference from last place.

454 WEST 19TH ST.—A PROTESTANT GIRL TO take care of children and make herself generally useful; can do chamberwork.

709 7TH AV., BETWEEN 48TH AND 49TH STS., IN the store.—A competent girl as child's nurse; is competent to take the entire charge of a baby from its birth; city reference.

Waitresses, &c.

110 WEST 19TH ST., THIRD FLOOR.—A RESPECTable girl as waitress in a private family; best city references.

124 WEST 19TH ST., SECOND FLOOR, REAR.—A young woman as first class waitress; no objection to go a short distance in the country.

173 EAST 33D ST.—A RESPECTABLE GIRL AS first class waitress or chambermaid in a private family; also a girl, 14, to take care of a child. Call or address.

226 WEST 18TH ST. PLACE.—A RESPECTABLE young woman as waitress or chambermaid in a private family; one going to the country for the summer months preferred; best reference.

248 WEST 19TH ST.—A RESPECTABLE PROTESTant young woman as waitress in a small private family; best city reference.

409 WEST 37TH ST.—A RESPECTABLE PROTESTant girl as first class waitress and to assist with chamberwork in a private family; best city reference.

604 6TH AV.—A RESPECTABLE GIRL AS FIRST class waitress; can take a man's place in that capacity in a private family.

628 6TH AV., IN THE STORE.—A SMART YOUNG girl as waitress; understands her business; best reference from last place.

629 6TH AV., NEAR 37TH ST.—A RESPECTABLE girl as waitress or nurse and seamstress; can operate on Wheeler & Wilson; has the best of city reference.

Miscellaneous.

622 WEST WASHINGTON PLACE, FIRST FLOOR.—As first class house cleaner, in good standing; offices to clean preferred; first class references. Call or address.

75 EAST 4TH ST.—A YOUNG PERSON OF EDUCAtion wishes to go to Europe as attendant or useful companion to a lady; understands hairdressing and is well experienced in her duties; is accustomed to travel and speaks German, French and English; best reference. Call on or address S. C. H.

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1,371 BROADWAY, BETWEEN 29TH AND 30TH sts.—A young colored woman, a competent hairdresser, wishes a few ladies' hair to dress, by the week or month; terms moderate.

WANTED—BY AN ENGLISH LADY OF EXPERIENCE, a situation as governess in a private family; unexceptionable references. Address P., box 5,078 Post office.

PROFESSIONAL SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALES.

20 NEW CHAMBERS ST.—AS CHILDREN'S GOVERNess, by a young German lady thoroughly conversant with the French and English languages; also the rudiments of music. Address M. W.

318 WEST 22D ST.—A YOUNG LADY AS COMPANion to a lady; is pleasant and willing to do anything required of her; would take whole charge of an invalid in city or country; reference given and required. Address COMPANION.

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A GERMAN LADY, RESIDING IN GLASGOW, SCOTland, conversing English and French, wishes to accompany one or two ladies as travelling companion in Europe during the summer months; references exchanged. For particulars address O. J., box 4,807 Post office.

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WANTED—BY AN ENGLISH LADY OF CULTURE and experience, an engagement as companion to a lady or chaperon to young ladies; no objections to travel; highest references. Address P., box 6,073 Post office.

HELP WANTED—FEMALES.

A NEAT, TIDY WOMAN OR GIRL, FOR GENERAL housework. Call at 310 East 78th st.

A YOUNG GIRL WANTED—TO HELP AROUND THE house, about 14 or 15 years of age. Apply at 229 West 52d st.

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A—EXPERIENCED BONNET FRAME MAKERS wanted immediately by Kidd Manufacturing Company, 601 Broadway.

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A RESPECTABLE YOUNG WOMAN WANTED AS chambermaid and waitress in a small private family. Apply, with city recommendations, from 10 till 1 o'clock, at 45 West 31st st., basement door.

A GERMAN OR AMERICAN WOMAN WANTED—IN Brooklyn, to do the general housework of two male adults. Address, with reference and experience, HOME, Herald office.

A FIRST CLASS DRESS AND CLOAK MAKER wanted—To open a dressmaking department in a dry goods house in a Western city; a person who is a practical cutter and fitter and can get up original and tasty dresses can find a permanent situation, with liberal salary, by applying to Mme. PACKER, 15 Clinton place, between the hours of 10 and 4 o'clock.

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OPERATORS WANTED ON THE WHEELER & WILson sewing machine; good operators will find steady employment at 1,161 Broadway, corner of 28th st.

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WANTED, A FIRST RATE CHAMBERMAID, WITH good references. Apply at 204 8th st., near 5th st.

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WANTED—A GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEWORK IN a small family; must be a good cook. 39 East 28th st.

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WANTED—A THOROUGH AND COMPETENT LAUNdress; must have good city reference. Apply at No. 8 West 31st st.

WANTED—A COMPETENT GIRL AS LAUNDRESS and chambermaid. Call at 224 7th ave., near 23d st., After 10 A.M.

WANTED—FOUR LADIES, AT THE GLACIER LIbrary, 47 University place, corner 11th st., to sew and crown wreaths.

WANTED—A PROTESTANT GIRL TO DO GENERAL housework in the country, with a few to wash; must be a good cook, washer and ironer; a good home and a comfortable home. Apply for two afternoons at 228 East 126th st.

HELP WANTED—FEMALES.

WANTED—IN A SMALL PRIVATE FAMILY, A GIRL as chambermaid and waitress. Apply, with city reference, at 53 West 52d st.

WANTED—A GIRL TO ASSIST WITH WASHING AND ironing and make herself generally useful; city references required. Apply at 145 East 18th st.

WANTED—A COMPETENT PROTESTANT NURSE and seamstress; must have city reference. Apply after 10 A. M. at 12 West 47th st., for two days.

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MAN AND WIFE WISH SITUATIONS; MAN AS coachman, wife as chambermaid; can assist in washing or waiting; best city references. Call on or address for two days J. G., 37 Union square.

SINGLE MAN WANTS A SITUATION AS FIRST class coachman; would plant a small garden; understands both perfect; will be found obliging; six years' superior reference. Address J., box 222 Herald office.

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SITUATION WANTED—BY A SINGLE YOUNG MAN, as coachman and work a plain vegetable garden; can milk if required; sober, steady and obliging; good reference; country preferred. Address N. S., box 321 Herald office.

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WANTED—BY A GERMAN MARRIED MAN, A SITUation as private coachman; is well acquainted with both cities. Address W. N., 859 Dean st., Brooklyn.

WANTED—A PERMANENT SITUATION FOR A FIRST class coachman; city or country; wages moderate; best reference, &c.; 26 years of age, unmarried. Address THOMAS LYONS, Sing Sing, N. Y.

WANTED—BY AN ENGLISHMAN, A SITUATION AS farmer; has had 20 years' experience, and is a thoroughly practical man. Call on or address N. J. H., 67 Nassau st., New York.

WANTED—A SITUATION AS COACHMAN, BY A young man who thoroughly understands his business; best references from last employers. Call at or address 42 East 19th st., in the basement.

WANTED A MARRIED MAN, WITH NO FAMILY, to work on a farm in Orange county (mostly in the garden) and take care of horses; a house to live in. Address box 115 Blooming Grove Post office, Orange county, N. Y.

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WANTED—A SITUATION AS COACHMAN; UNDERstands driving and the care of horses; has 7 years' reference from last employer. Call on or address COACHMAN, 1,252 Broadway.

WANTED—A SITUATION AS COACHMAN, BY A young married man, who thoroughly understands his business; can highly be recommended by a gentleman in this city. Call or H. E. JACKSON'S, 182 8th av.

WANTED—BY AN ENGLISH MARRIED MAN, A situation as coachman or groom; without family; the wife is able to take charge of a dairy or is willing to help in the house; left last situation on account of death of employer. Apply to JACOB MATHES, 124 Cedar st.

WANTED—GARDENER AND COACHMAN, SINGLE man; one who can milk and make himself generally useful about a gentleman's place; wages $35 per month and board; must have good reference. Call at 190 Washington st. on Friday, from 1 to 2 P. M.

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A CHANCE FOR MEN, WOMEN, BOYS AND GIRLS to learn telegraphing for $20.—THOMPSON'S Telegraphic Institute, 394 4th av., opposite Cooper Institute; day and evening. Demand for operators.

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WANTED—A BOY IN A LAWYER'S OFFICE; ONE who can write a good hand. Address, in handwriting of applicant, Z. S., Herald office.

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WANTED—A COLORED MAN AS COMPETENT waiter, one who can furnish good reference. Apply at 117 East 34th st., between 2 and 3 P. M.

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THE TRADES.

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East Side.

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House to let, with improvements, 454 West 28th st. [illegible] 1,000
House to let, with improvements, 195 10th av. [illegible] 1,200
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A BEAUTIFUL BROWN STONE HIGH STOOP House, East Forty-ninth street, near Lexington avenue, trimmed with hard wood and in perfect order; rent $1,800. FOX BROTHERS, 502 Sixth avenue.

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HOUSE TO LET—50 WEST FIFTEENTH STREET, BETween Fifth and Sixth avenues; 25 feet front; four story brick. Apply to ELLIOTT SHEPARD, 30 Broadway.

TO LET—A FINE THREE STORY HIGH STOOP HOUSE with all modern improvements, 22 feet front; 204 East Thirteenth street; rent $1,400. Apply at 318 Third avenue, corner Twenty-fourth street.

TO LET—THE ELEGANT FOUR STORY HIGH STOOP brown stone House, on Fifth avenue and 124th and 125th streets; rent $1,800. Parlor Carpets and Parlor Suit of Furniture for sale if desired. W. S. GAVEY, 275 Mulberry street.

TO LET, UNFURNISHED—LARGE FOUR STORY House, painted and frescoed throughout, $2,000; also three story brown stone, $2,600; both located near Thirty-fourth street and Eighth avenue. EDWARD HENEY, 727 Broadway, room 7.

TO LET—THREE STORY BRICK HOUSE NO. 226 WEST Fifty-fourth street; has all improvements; $1,100. JOHN SHIRLEY & SON, 55 Wall street.

TO LET—ELEGANT HOUSE, THIRTY-NINTH STREET, near Park avenue; also Fifth avenue, near Forty-ninth street, each 25 feet wide; also Houses in various locations. Permits of A. JOURNEAY, No. 1 Pine street.

TO LET—COTTAGES IN 115TH AND 116TH STREETS, near Third avenue; also Cottage on Fifth avenue, Harlem. Inquire of Mr. J. VOSMILY, Esq., 150 East 119th street, between Third and Fourth avenues.

TO LET—THREE STORY BROWN STONE HOUSE 461 East Fifty-seventh street, all improvements, in perfect order, rent $1,000; three story brown stone House 1,119 Second avenue, all improvements, newly painted, rent $1,200; three story brick House 251 East Seventy-eighth street, between Second and Third avenues, all improvements, rent $700; three story high stoop House 212 East 125th street, between Second and Third avenues, rent $700. M. C. FLANAGAN, 155 Bowery.

TO LET—UNFURNISHED, ENGLISH BASEMENT IN Twenty-ninth street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues, $1,400; a large elegant House in Thirty-fourth street, $2,000; 20 rooms. Numerous Houses to let and for sale on all the principal avenues and streets. BROWN, WASHINGTON & CO., 93 Cedar and 1,267 Broadway.

TO LET—ON A TERM OF YEARS, THE ELEGANT House, 11 West Forty-ninth street, north side, near Fifth avenue, 27 feet front and 80 feet deep, including the extension. This mansion was built under the superintendence of Griffith Thomas, Esq., for the owner's occupancy, and is in every respect first class; replete with every convenience. For terms apply to HOMER MORGAN, No. 2 Pine st., city.

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TO LET—FOUR STORY ENGLISH BASEMENT BROWN stone House on East Nineteenth street, near Fourth avenue; has 17 rooms; all improvements; will give a lease; suitable for a first class boarding house. H. M. CONDIT, 159 East Twelfth street.

TO LET—NEW BROWN STONE HOUSES, ONE block from Fifth avenue, below the Park; 20 feet, three story high stoop; $1,600 and $1,800. Others, $1,250 to $1,500; desirable locations. E. D. LAWRENCE & CO., 1,429 Broadway, between Forty-second and Forty-third streets.

TO LET—408 EAST TWENTY-FIFTH STREET, NEAR Fourth avenue, three story high stoop brown stone House, Sixteen 3 parlors, fresco and mirrors; 9 be rooms and bathroom. E. H. LUDLOW & CO., No. 3 Pine street, or 35 East Seventeenth street.

TO LET, HIGH STOOP BROWN STONE HOUSE; also Lower Part of house; all modern improvements; good neighborhood. Inquire of owner, 232 West Thirty-first street.

TO LET—NO. 96 SEVENTH STREET, LARGE TWO story and attic high stoop brick House, 25x50, will be put in splendid order; rent $1,250. E. H. LUDLOW & CO., No. 3 Pine st., or 35 East 17th st.

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TO LET OR LEASE—THE THREE AND FOUR STORY high stoop brown stone Houses 63 and 66 West Twenty-fourth street, near Fifth avenue; rent to a first class tenant $2,200 and $2,300. Inquire at 102 Chambers street.

TO LET—THREE STORY HOUSE ON STUYVESANT street, $1,400; one on East 14th st., $1,800; on 16th st., $2,000; on 21st st., $2,200; on 26th st., near 4th av., small, $1,300; one on 25th st., near Lexington av.; very complete and small one on 47th st., $900. H. M. CONDIT, 159 East Twelfth street.

TO LET CHEAP—HOUSE 323 BLEECKER STREET (all improvements). House 426 Hudson street, near Clarkson; 626 Ninth avenue, Cottage 49th Hudson street; also one No. 3 Jones street. Apply at the owner's, 625 Hudson street.

TO RENT—A HANDSOMELY FURNISHED SUITE OF Rooms, or a single Room, without board; references required. 27 West Fourth street.

TO RENT A HIGH STOOP THREE STORY HOUSE, [illegible] street, with all modern improvements; 24 feet front; [illegible] rent $1,400. Apply to owner, JOHN A. HAIMES, 46 West Twenty-third street.

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W. [illegible]	[illegible]
W. [illegible]	2,000
W. [illegible]	1,400
W. 24th st., a 3 story and [illegible]	1,400
W. 38th st., a 3 story and [illegible]	1,400
W. 22d st., a 2 story high stoop	[illegible] per month
W. 27th st., a 2 story high stoop	[illegible] per month
W. 29th st., a 2 story high stoop	[illegible] per month
W. 24th st., a 2 story high stoop	[illegible] per month
W. 26th st., a 2 story high stoop	[illegible] per month

JAMES R. EDWARDS, 277 West Twenty-third street.

UNFURNISHED HOUSES TO LET ON BEACH, Clarke, Twenty-ninth, Twenty-eighth and Twenty-eighth streets. ROBERT T. BLACK, Hudson st.

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FURNISHED NEATLY FOR HOUSEKEEPING SUITE of Rooms; parlor, two be rooms, two closets, kitchen, water closet, separate outer door; also one room on second floor, fronting on Eighth avenue; $12 weekly. 300 West Twenty-eighth street.

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TO LET—FURNISHED, SECOND STORY FRONT ROOM, to one or two gentlemen, without Board; also a small Room. 138 West Fourth street, between Washington square and Sixth avenue.

TO LET—A LARGE HANDSOMELY FURNISHED Room, second floor; hot and cold water, &c.; to gentlemen only; references. 77 West Twelfth street.

$6.—NICE SITTING AND BED ROOM, CONNECTING, furnished for housekeeping; water in room, closet on the floor; abundant pantries; good washing arrangements. 132 Forty first street, near Lexington avenue.

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56 WEST TWENTY-FOURTH STREET, FIFTH AVENUE Hotel Block.—Parlor and Bedroom for a gentleman; also an upper Room, well furnished, $3 50.

97 CLINTON PLACE.—FOUR NICELY FURNISHED Rooms on third floor to let, together or separately, without board; light housekeeping is allowed; neighborhood near Brevoort House; references exchanged.

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A PLEASANT FLOOR, CONTAINING FIVE ROOMS and lots of closets, bath room, &c., for $25 per month. Apply on the premises, 197 West Twenty-third street, corner Sixth avenue, from 10 A. M. to 5 P. M.

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TWO SMALL ROOMS, CONNECTING, ON SECOND floor, also one on third floor, hot and cold water, for gentlemen, at 50 East Nineteenth street; reference.

TO LET—225 WEST FIFTY-FOURTH STREET, NEAR Broadway, Second Floor, six rooms, with gas and water; house 25 feet front; rooms large; possession immediately.

TO LET—ON SECOND AVENUE, NEAR THIRTY-seventh street, Second Floor, $91, $30; First Floor and Basements, $35, $40. Inquire at 28 West Forty-sixth street, 3 to 8 o'clock.

TO LET—A FLOOR OF FIVE ROOMS, IN GOOD CONdition, containing water, pantries, closets, &c.; rent cheap. Inquire on premises, 413 West Forty-ninth street.

TO LET—A FLOOR OF SIX ROOMS, CONTAINING GAS, water, plenty of pantries, &c.; very desirable neighborhood; rent $20. Inquire on premises, 451 West Forty fourth street.

TO LET AT LOW RENTS—FLOORS OF FOUR ROOMS, with Croton, gas, stationary tubs, &c. Apply on premises, 1,590 Third avenue, and 2,226 Second avenue.

TO LET—FRENCH FLATS, A WHOLE HOUSE ON one floor, 25x80, at 351 Third avenue.

TO LET CHEAP—FROM MARCH 1, SECOND FLOOR of brown stone house No. 861 Sixth avenue; eight rooms; all the modern improvements. Apply to WM. HUGHES, 1,214 Broadway.

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140 WEST SIXTEENTH STREET, NEAR SIXTH avenue.—Handsome Parlor and Bedroom, also two large Parlors and bed rooms adjoining, suitable for a gentleman and wife or single gentlemen; all the modern improvements. Call two days. References exchanged.

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$7 TO $10.—28 EAST FOURTEENTH STREET.—Rooms, with excellent Board, for families and single gentlemen; hot and cold water; convenient to business and amusements; no moving in May; references exchanged.

9 EAST THIRTY-FIRST STREET, NEAR FIFTH avenue.—Front and back Rooms, en suite or single, to let, with Board; all modern improvements; references.

10 EAST TWENTY-EIGHTH STREET.—TWO DESIRable Rooms, back parlor, or second and third floor rooms, with Board, if desired; family small; first class references required and given.

11TH STREET, 13 WEST.—A NICE FRONT ROOM TO let, with first class table; reasonable to permanent parties; reference given and required. Call for one week.

12 WEST SEVENTEENTH STREET, THREE DOORS from Fifth avenue.—An elegant Suite of Rooms to let, with Board, to gentleman and wife, or two gentlemen; also some Rooms, for gentlemen; references exchanged.

14TH STREET, 235 WEST.—ELEGANTLY FURNISHED Rooms, front Rooms, with liberal Board, $35 to $50 for two; smaller Rooms, $21 to $30; first class Brown stone private house.

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19 WEST TWENTY-FOURTH STREET, OPPOSITE Fifth Avenue Hotel.—Elegantly furnished Rooms to let, with or without board; to gentlemen and wives or single gentlemen.

29 WEST THIRTY-SECOND STREET, BETWEEN Broadway and Fifth avenue.—A [illegible] Room, [illegible] gentlemen; table [illegible] reference exchanged.

29 EAST TWENTY-EIGHTH STREET.—HANDsomely furnished Room to rent, to gentleman and wife or single.

30 [illegible] STREET.—A PRIVATE FAMILY WILL [illegible] Rooms, with or without Board, also [illegible].

32 EAST FIFTEENTH STREET.—TO LET, A [illegible] Room, on first floor, with or without Board, to a gentleman and wife or single gentleman.

35 LAFAYETTE PLACE, CORNER ROW, OPPOSITE the Astor Library.—Elegantly furnished Rooms, [illegible] and gentlemen; with or without Board; table boarders taken. References required.

36 EAST THIRTY-SECOND STREET NEAR MADISON avenue.—A [illegible] Room, with Board, to a gentleman and wife or single gentleman; [illegible] Board; [illegible] exchanged.

36 EAST TWENTY-FIRST STREET.—TWO BRIGHT, cheerful Rooms, [illegible] suitable for a gentleman and wife or single gentleman; [illegible] and refined home; references exchanged.

37 WEST FOURTEENTH STREET, NEAR FIFTH avenue.—To let, [illegible] Rooms, [illegible] to single gentlemen.

BOARDERS WANTED.

40 EAST NINTH STREET, NEAR BROADWAY.—TO let with Board, one large Room, suitable for a gentleman and wife or two single gentlemen; day boarders accommodated.

40 EAST NINETEENTH STREET, HANDSOMELY furnished Rooms, with first class Board, for gentleman and wife or single gentlemen; accommodation for a few table boarders.

42 WEST SIXTEENTH STREET, BETWEEN FIFTH and Sixth avenues.—Handsomely furnished Parlor and Bedroom on second floor, front, to let, with first class Board; references require d.

43 D STREET, WEST, 244, ONE BLOCK FROM Broadway.—Delightful Rooms, on second and third floors, for families or gentlemen, at reduced prices; double Room for two gentlemen at $7 each.

45 LEXINGTON AVENUE.—A PRIVATE AMERICAN family would let to gentleman and wife or one or two single gentlemen handsomely furnished front Room, with first class Board; house contains all modern improvements; references exchanged.

45 PARK AVENUE, CORNER THIRTY-SEVENTH street. A few elegant Rooms, with Board, can now be secured at this handsome residence; fitted with music hall, billiard room, bowling alley. Private table if desired.

48 WEST FOURTEENTH STREET.—BOARD AND Rooms, for gentlemen and their wives or single gentlemen; location and accommodations strictly first class.

48 WEST ELEVENTH STREET, BETWEEN UNIVERsity place and Fifth avenue.—Furnished Rooms to let, with or without Board; terms moderate.

50 NINTH STREET, BETWEEN BROADWAY AND University place.—Parlor and Bedroom, on first floor, to let, with Board, to families or single gentlemen; terms moderate.

55 WEST TWELFTH STREET, BETWEEN FIFTH and Sixth avenues.—A furnished Parlor and Bedroom to let, with Board, in a German family; terms moderate; references.

63 MADISON AVENUE, CORNER TWENTY-SEVENTH street.—Two elegant Parlors to let, en suite or single, with or without Board; also pleasant Rooms for single gentlemen.

94 MACDOUGAL STREET, ST. CLEMENTS PLACE.—A pleasant, well furnished Room to let, with Board, to two persons, on moderate terms. References.

107 EAST TWELFTH STREET.—HANDSOMELY furnished Rooms to let, with first class Board, in a private family; single gentlemen or gentleman and wife; reference. Apply for two or three days.

112 EAST FORTIETH STREET.—NICELY FURnished Rooms to let, with Board; terms, from $16 to $18 per week for two. House pleasant and convenient.

125 EAST SEVENTEENTH STREET, CORNER OF Irving place.—First class Accommodations, on suite or single Rooms, with or without Board; elegant opportunity for parties desiring a good home; terms reasonable.

129 EAST TWENTY-FOURTH STREET, BETWEEN Fourth and Lexington avenues.—Very pleasant Rooms to let, with or without Board.

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156 WEST TWENTY-FOURTH STREET.—PLEASANT Rooms, with Board; house contains all improvements; table well supplied and neatly served; terms $6 to $8 per week; references.

164 WEST TWENTY-THIRD STREET.—A PRIVATE family have furnished Rooms to let, with Board; references exchanged.

211 WEST SEVENTEENTH STREET, NEAR SEVENth avenue.—A neatly furnished front Room to let, with Board, in a German family; terms $14 for two.

217 WEST SEVENTEENTH STREET.—NEATLY furnished Rooms, with Board; hot and cold water in Rooms; all modern improvements; home comforts; American family; terms, $5 50 and $6 per week.

220 EIGHTEENTH STREET, BETWEEN SECOND and Third avenues.—Furnished Rooms to rent, with Board; fine location; all modern improvements and terms reasonable; references required.

221 TENTH STREET, NEAR SECOND AVENUE.—Wanted, two Jewish gentlemen, for nicely furnished Rooms, with or without breakfast.

253 EIGHTH AVENUE, THREE DOORS FROM Twenty-third street.—Furnished Rooms, also Hall Bedroom to let, with or without Board. Call for one week.

257 WEST FIFTEENTH STREET, NEAR EIGHTH avenue.—Elegant furnished front Room to let, with hot and cold water, bath and gas, for gentleman and wife or gentlemen.

315 EAST FOURTEENTH STREET.—A SECOND story front Room, with alcove, and a back Parlor, both with stationary basins, will be rented, with Board, on reasonable terms; also a Hall Room; references given and required.

A PRIVATE FAMILY OF ADULTS, OCCUPYING AN elegant house, will rent to a gentleman and wife a splendid Room, with first class Board; no moving in May. Apply at 243 West Thirty-fourth street.

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A YOUNG LADY OF REFINEMENT DESIRES GOOD Board; terms $5 per week; references required, and first class ones given. Address, this day, COMFORT, Box 149 Herald office.

A DVERTISER WANTS TO PROCURE PERMANENT Board for two old ladies and servant; will require sitting room, bedroom and servant's room; breakfast at 7½ o'clock, dinner at 1, tea at 6; a plain but good table; will give good little tenant; payments punctual; if satisfactory will engage for years; within a few blocks of Madison square preferred. Answers, stating locations, rooms and price, will receive attention by addressing ALLIN, box 127 Herald Uptown Branch office, 1,265 Broadway.

A GENTLEMAN AND WIFE, DESIRING TO BOARD for a term of years, wish to make permanent arrangements with some family (private preferred) for Parlor Floor, with good private table; house must be located on Fifth avenue, not above Forty-fourth street; best references given and required. Address B. E., box 141 Herald office.

BOARD WANTED—IN A GOOD LOCATION, BY A young married couple, at a moderate price; can furnish one or two rooms with their own furniture; private family preferred. Address BOARD, box 250 Herald office.

BOARD WANTED—FOR LADY (IN BUSINESS), IN a private family, between Bleecker and Sixteenth streets, west side; price moderate. Address, stating particulars, JAMES, Herald office, for two days.

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SEWARD ON THE ALABAMA CLAIMS

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The Time for the Settlement of the Alabama Claims Not Yet Arrived.

WAR WITH ENGLAND IMPOSSIBLE

AUBURN, N. Y., Feb. 28, 1872.

In a large though plain and old-fashioned mansion, surrounded by a few melancholy-looking trees, through which the piercing winds of a Northern winter make dismal music, resides the Hon. William H. Seward, who, after shaping the destinies of a great country, has retired to this unpretentious little town, the home of his youth, there to live the remainder of his days in the recollections of his eventful past. Toward the residence of Mr. Seward the writer yesterday evening wended his steps through streets wrapped in complete darkness and covered with snow and ice, which made walking a perilous enterprise indeed. He, however, safely landed at the door, rang the bell, and a few moments afterwards found himself in the genial presence of the ex-Secretary of State.

Almost everybody who is somebody has aired his opinions on the vexed question of the day—the settlement of the Alabama claims. Among the select few whose opinions are worth listening to, but who have not yet volunteered their "views" on the subject, is the venerable ex-Premier.

Mr. Seward bears the same sort of parental relation to the Alabama claims as Washington, the father of the country, to the United States. The cause for the controversy was created by British perfidy; but it was Mr. Seward who, as it were, infused life into the Alabama claims, marshalled them into a formidable array of comprehensive facts, and at last forced the reluctant attention of the British government to the subject. All the world remembers his famous correspondence with the British government, through Mr. Adams. At the power of his logic Lord John Russell, who had lectured and ended half Europe, figuratively speaking,

SHOOK IN HIS SHOES,

and from savage growl dwindled down to gentle remonstrance. It was for the purpose of obtaining Mr. Seward's opinions on the latest phase of the Alabama controversy that the writer paid him a visit, at half-past seven o'clock last evening, about the time when the ex-secretary regularly holds a sort of levée, surrounded by the *crème de la crème* of the rural aristocracy of the place.

Mr. Seward was, as usual, lively and communicative and looked buoyant with health and good spirits. After some friendly remark of a private nature the conversation bore upon the subject of the Alabama claims, and the HERALD correspondent began:—If there is any one gentleman who knows more than any other about the question of the Alabama claims, you, sir, are that gentleman, and I have come for the sole purpose of obtaining the additional benefit of your knowledge of the controversy.

MR. SEWARD—I have not followed the controversy very closely of late, but what I do know about the Alabama claims I will impart to you.

At the beginning of the civil war the United States, Great Britain and France regarded each other as great Powers, each considering the other as a Power of the first rank, and each entitled to expect from the other cognizance of the relations to which they were bound by treaty of good faith and friendship.

When the rebellion broke out in the United States and the rebels assumed to set up an independent State within the United States and so divide the Union, the United States government appealed to both France and Great Britain not to recognize, or favor the rebellion, or the dismion of the States, but to adhere to their friendly relations and their former position of recognizing only the United States as the government for peace and for war and for all domestic purposes. The British government and the French government, on the one hand, showed that they were not prepared to adhere to the United States as the supreme government, but that they hesitated, whether they should acknowledge the rebels as an independent nation, or at least as a belligerent Power against the United States.

The United States protested against this as a derogation of their government and their rights as a nation and the treaty relations of friendship between them. The United States warned and protested against any such departure from their relations by these two Powers.

The British and French governments addressed the United States and informed them that they had the matter in consultation, and would agree to act together with regard to the war in the United States. The United States government protested that each of them was bound to act separately toward the United States in the line of past relations. Without waiting for the arrival in London and Paris of Mr. Adams and Mr. Dayton, who were appointed to express the views of the United States on that great occasion, the British government, acting in concert with the French government,

PRECIPITATED A DECISION

and issued a proclamation in the name of the Queen announcing the civil war in the United States and the determination of the British government to regard as equal belligerents the United States government and the rebels.

The United States government protested against the decision, and demanded its reversal. The British government adhering, in concert with the French government, to its decision, refused to reconsider it, and throughout during the whole civil war maintained that attitude of having lifted a revolutionary faction in the United States to a national belligerent equal to the United States. The United States warned the British government that, although in the condition in which they stood, fighting to suppress a form of insurrection at home, they could not safely levy war against Great Britain and France and thereby provoke them to recognize and join the rebellion as a political Power backed, as under the circumstances they probably would be, by the maritime Powers of the world, they nevertheless proposed the proceedings of the British government in the Queen's proclamation as an act of hostility for which, whenever they should be able, they should expect

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and they specially warned the British government that for all the private acts by the British subjects in or from the British ports in aid of the rebellion they should hold the British government responsible, because those acts, committed by British subjects, were the direct consequence of the injurious proclamation of the Queen.

When the Alabama and other privateer vessels threatened to issue from British ports in the service of the rebels, the United States government protested and demanded that they should be stopped. The British government did not stop them, and said they were only bound to exercise due diligence, as in a case of legal foreign belligerents. The United States, on the other hand, insisted that they were liable for the depredations, whether they exercised sufficient diligence or not, by virtue of their proceedings of recognizing the rebels as belligerents.

The matter went on; the vessels escaped and committed their depredations. The United States demanded redress and presented claims of the citizens of the United States for the damages sustained by these depredations. These are the Alabama claims proper.

CORRESPONDENT—This is a very interesting historical *résumé* and may prove a useful one, for in the mists of legal quibbles, the question of the Alabama claims threatens to become as dim and confused as Lord Palmerston's celebrated Schleswig-Holstein question.

MR. SEWARD—The British government under Lord Palmerston and Earl Russell refused to hear or receive or file the claims of the United States government in its archives. The United States government instructed Mr. Adams to present the claims and leave them on the table of the Ministry, saying that they should expect in due time, upon after consideration, that the claims will be filed and received with the respect due to a sovereign and aggrieved nation. The United States government insisted that this refusal of the British government would leave them no alternative but to seek redress and satisfaction for those claims whenever they might be able and as they could. By their vehement protest, to that effect an alarm was produced in the British Parliament, under the influence of which Earl Russell sharply demanded whether the United States government meant to

MENACE ENGLAND WITH WAR.

The intimation was not necessary that if the United States should threaten war Great Britain and France would at once join the rebel confederacy.

The United States thereupon answered, that although they demanded these damages and atonement for the wrongful proceedings of the British government, of which they were the consequences, they nevertheless had raised no question with the British government that they were not ready to submit to the arbitration of an impartial and not unfriendly nation.

Earl Russell, for the British government, repelled and scouted the idea of submitting the claims or any questions about them to the arbitration of a foreign Power. There the matter remained, with new depredations aggravating the case, until Earl Russell went out of power.

The Derby Cabinet came in, and Lord Stanley announced to the United States government that the British government had reconsidered the subject and was now willing to submit the Alabama claims to an impartial arbitration. He requested the United States government to prepare the form of submission to arbitration. The United States government prepared the form and insisted therein that the question of the good faith and legality of the Queen's proclamation should be submitted to the arbitrator. The British Ministry, of whom Lord Stanley then formed part, withdrew from their offer to arbitrate on the ground that the United States insisted that the rightfulness and legality of the Queen's proclamation were to be submitted. The question of arbitration, therefore, under Lord Stanley, fell through.

Lord Stanley's administration was succeeded by that of Lord Clarendon. Lord Clarendon now admitted a willingness to arbitrate upon liberal terms. The Secretary of State at Washington (meaning myself)

DREW UP A TREATY

between the two nations, which was entrusted to Mr. Reverdy Johnson for negotiation. This treaty provided in substance that all the claims of citizens of the United States arising out of the Anglo-confederate piracies against Great Britain should be considered, and that a reciprocity convention should be instituted for the adjustment of all the claims which had arisen since 1861 between the citizens of the United States and the government of Great Britain on the one hand, and between the subjects of Great Britain and the government of the United States on the other.

Mr. Reverdy Johnson negotiated this treaty with Lord Clarendon. It provided in direct terms for the adjustment and liquidation only of claims of the citizens of the United States against the government of Great Britain and the subjects of Great Britain against the government of the United States, while it expressly included the Alabama claims, which had been the subject of so much dispute, and declared that it should be the right of each government, in support of the claims of its citizens and subjects, to present every document and maintain every ground which had been taken in the diplomatic correspondence on the subject of the Alabama claims, and that it should be the duty of the arbitrator to hear and consider these claims and arguments. In this way it was supposed by the administration of the United States which negotiated the treaty that the fairness, justice and good faith of the Queen's proclamation would be submitted for discussion to the arbitrator, and that his decision upon it would be necessary in ascertaining the justice of the claims of citizens of the United States for the depredations of the Alabama and kindred piracies.

The Senate of the United States, at the beginning of General Grant's administration, rejected the treaty, as it was understood, upon the ground that it provided no direct atonement to the government of the United States in damages or by apology for the depredations of the Alabama.

After a time a Joint High Commission was created, which made a new treaty. This new treaty seems to

OMIT A STIPULATION

on the part of the United States that the Queen's injurious proclamation should be submitted to and considered by the arbitrators, and in lieu of that, a stipulation which was contained in the old treaty has of three articles, which provide, in effect, that it was the duty of the British government to use due diligence to prevent the arming of the Alabama and such vessels.

HERALD CORRESPONDENT—Then you consider, sir, that the first treaty had one great advantage, at least, over the Treaty of Washington.

MR. SEWARD—The last treaty differs from the former in this, that while the first stipulated in direct terms for damages only to citizens of the United States who had suffered by the depredations of the Alabama and other kindred vessels, the new treaty assumes these claims as being claims of the government of the United States for its citizens, and defines the rules by which the arbitration shall proceed in ascertaining and liquidating those damages.

HERALD CORRESPONDENT—In negotiating the first treaty was there no thought of claiming compensation for consequential damages, no demand for their settlement by a gross sum in gross?

MR. SEWARD—The administrations of Lincoln and Johnson, so far as I knew, never expected that claims for redress of the Alabama depredations would be presented to the arbitration in the form of a money sum of damages to be paid directly to the government of the United States besides and independently of the claims to the injured citizens of the United States. They regarded the illegality and injustice of the Queen's proclamation as requiring an atonement to the wounded pride and honor of the United States, either by a confession or an apology, or by a submission to an arbitrating Power. All time while, however, holding that it was necessary to the maintaining of the last-named damages, that is, those due to the citizens of the United States, that the British government should confess, or that the arbitrator should be authorized to pronounce that the proceeding of the queen's proclamation and the consequent actions of the government were unfriendly and injurious to the United States.

The government of the United States at that date, of which I was a member, considered that it was

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to demand or accept a sum of money from Great Britain as an atonement for political wrong, or a compensation for wounded honor, while it was determined that the American citizens who had suffered by those wrongs should be compensated, and that in the form either of an apology or a submission to arbitration Great Britain should bring herself to the level of the United States and respect the integrity of the government which they maintained during the war.

HERALD CORRESPONDENT—How about the present controversy, Mr. Secretary? What is there likely to come of it?

MR. SEWARD—I entertain no manner of doubt that considering the position and character of the two nations,

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will ever be declared by one against the other on any question now at issue in the dispute. On the other hand, I am equally clear that the differences which are arising the public mind and excitation between the people of the country arose from the conduct of that treaty, and are to be decided, so far as I can see, absurdly and unjustly, by a majority of the arbitrators appointed under the treaty.

HERALD CORRESPONDENT—Do you hold, sir, that the acceptance of the treaty neither has a case of the United States for consequential damages, as coming within the province of the Geneva Court of Arbitration?

MR. SEWARD—I think that the treaty opens the door for the United States to present claims for great consideration for the injury and wounds of proof of the nation, besides the claims for damages of the citizens of the United States, not whether this is a just interpretation of the treaty seems to belong to the arbitrators to decide. I think the British Government

CANNOT REFUSE

from the arbitration because of the claims we are now urging upon them, nor, on the other hand, that the United States Court go on insisting or withdraw from the arbitration if a majority of the arbitrators should reject their application for direct damages to the government for the wounded honor of the nation.

HERALD CORRESPONDENT—But as far as I understand it, sir, this claim is not a direct one, nor demanded as an atonement for the wounded honor of the nation, but rather a claim for actual, though indirect, damages which have been visited upon individual citizens of the United States as a consequence of the acts of the Anglo-Confederate privateers.

MR. SEWARD—But how are you to ascertain the exact amount, or if paid in a sum in gross, how and to whom is the money to be distributed which is received under the head of consequential damages?

HERALD CORRESPONDENT—This is a difficult question to answer, sir; but I suppose the money might be fairly distributed among the steamship owners, insurance companies and such like.

MR. SEWARD—As to that, I understand that the corporations which have suffered any pecuniary damages or loss by the piracies which were a consequence of the Queen's proclamation are, like individual citizens, just and fair claimants to indemnity. My position under the former treaty was that everybody who had suffered and is entitled to any damages has a right to present his claims, whether they be consequential or direct damages. Now, sir, you have the whole of my story.

HERALD CORRESPONDENT—I think, Mr. Secretary, there are one or two links wanted to complete the story. You have but lightly touched upon the present controversy, although I infer from your remarks that you do not quite approve of the Treaty of Washington, but have a marked preference for the rejected Johnson-Clarendon treaty.

MR. SEWARD—I must hold aloof from this controversy. It is not for me to express an opinion on the course of the two governments, for I honor all those who have been engaged in this controversy.

HERALD CORRESPONDENT—But Lord Russell, who now occupies, relatively, the same position as you do, Mr. Secretary, has not hesitated to express a decided opinion on the question.

MR. SEWARD—I know Lord Russell has denounced the treaty. Well, sir, I do think that the Johnson-Clarendon treaty was the best treaty that could have been negotiated. (here Mr. Seward arose, saying with sudden energy and having rejected that, they ought to be precluded from making any more treaties for the settlement of the Alabama claims. My opinion is that the treaty which I negotiated failed because of the the passions and prejudices engendered between the two countries. The settlement of the Alabama claims is reserved for the future. The time has not yet arrived, because those passions and prejudices have not yet sufficiently subsided.

MEETING OF THE BROOKLYN YACHT CLUB.

Presentation of Prizes Won at the Fall Regatta—Interesting Proceedings—Election of New Members—Supper and Speeches.

The ornate rooms of the Brooklyn Yacht Club were filled last night with a large number of the most prominent yachtsmen who hail from the City of Churches and New York. They had been summoned for the transaction of club business, and also to witness the

PRESENTATION OF PRIZES

won at the last fall regatta. President Kidd occupied the chair, and among the members present were Commodore Voorhis, ex-Commodore Laight, Messrs. Chauncey, Felt, Hall, Wilson, Osborne, Bennett, Oakey, Ostrander, Wood, Nichols, Berry, &c. The President having called the meeting to order, Secretary Lee read the minutes of the previous meeting and the Treasurer's report, after which V. C. Haight, of the Board of Trustees, made a report as to the desirability of removing the present club house nearer to the beach or building a new one altogether. After a somewhat lengthy debate the report was ordered to lie on the table.

The following new members were then unanimously elected:—Messrs. C. F. Ackermann, L. C. Stewart, George Dunning, Dr. J. H. Osman, John M. Wilson, H. T. Livingstone and Thomas McGrath. After the appointment of a committee to draw up a code of resolutions in regard to the death of Colonel Ambrose J. White, a member of the R. Y. C., ex-Commodore Haight made a speech, in which he stated that the prizes to be presented to the gentlemen whose yachts had been victorious in

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of last year were the gift of Commodore Jacob Voorhis, Jr. They were handsome oil paintings of the four winning yachts. The first was presented to President George Kidd, and represented his beautiful schooner Alice rounding the Southwest Spit on her way to victory. The second was the sloop Adelle, standing in to Gravesend Bay, and became the property of Mr. Wm. H. Langley, the fortunate owner of that pretty craft. The third was an excellent painting of the sloop-yacht Kaiser Wilhelm, owned by Mr. J. A. Belling, and the fourth on the list fell to the share of Major A. C. Bush, proprietor of the wave-skimmer Meteor. Each of the recipients made their acknowledgments in neat and appropriate speeches; after which the members and guests present adjourned to the supper room, where

A SPLENDID COLLATION

had been prepared. When the choice viands had been done ample justice to the following toasts were drunk:—"The Commodore's Health," "The Brooklyn Yacht Club," responded to by V. C. Haight; "The Officers of the Brooklyn Yacht Club," responded to by Mr. Dolon; "Our Absent Friends," responded to by Commodore Kidd; "The Yachting Interests of America," responded to by Captain Bening; "Cube Root as Applied to Time Allowance—the more we hear of it the less we know," responded to by V. C. Dickenson; "The Rising Generation," responded to by D. Hall; "Land-lubbers," responded to by Colonel Oakey; "The Press—the greatest engine of progress; when the whistle blows look out to clear the track;" "Dollars—nothing sentimental about them, but their influence is always felt;" responded to by Treasurer Feit.

NEW YORK CITY.

Mr. Goegg, a German well conversant with European politics, lectures this evening in the Turn Halle, 66 and 68 East Fourth street, on "Political and Social Affairs in Europe."

Coroner Young yesterday held an inquest in Bellevue Hospital on the body of Richard Gates, a seaman, attached to the bark C. O. Wetmore, who died from the effects of injuries received about three months ago by falling from the mainhead to the deck of the vessel while at sea.

Julius Beems, a lad fourteen years of age, was yesterday arraigned at the Yorkville Police Court, charged with the larceny of $233. The complainant, Mr. John H. Honeck, testified that on the 22d instant the prisoner stole the above sum from him and secreted it in a tree-box, with the exception of a few dollars which he spent. On being arrested the prisoner admitted the charge, and gave back the sum he had concealed. He was held in $1,000 bail to answer.

At a meeting of brewers yesterday, at the board-room of the Brewers' and Malsters' Insurance Company, Broadway, the committee which recently interviewed the Commissioner of Internal Revenue at Washington concerning the collection of internal revenue on malt liquors reported. It was stated that the Commissioner expressed his willingness to simplify matters for the brewers as much as possible provided the stamps now in use could be defaced and suggested to them the use of a "gang arrangement" by which this could be effected. The committee thought that some chemical process could be obtained by which the stamps could be defaced, and resolved to consult Professor Doremus on the subject.

The Theta Delta Chi Fraternity, under the auspices of the Phi Charge, of Lafayette College, Pennsylvania, met yesterday morning in parlor No. 114 Astor House, in annual reunion and to appropriately celebrate their quarter centennial. Delegates from all the principal colleges were in attendance, and more are expected to arrive. Mr. H. A. Smith presided and Mr. F. P. Billmeier discharged the duties of secretary. The session will continue to-day and to-morrow, but the proceedings are strictly private, though it transpired that yesterday was occupied almost entirely in receiving the reports of the various charges. To-night the annual supper will be given at upper Delmonico's, when Professor T. C. McLandish, of William and Mary College, will appear as the orator, and Lewis Hosser, of Freemansburg, N. Y., the poet. The graduates of New York, without further notice, are requested to attend the meetings of the fraternity.

FATAL FAMILY FEUD.

In Attempting to Settle Family Difference by Church Friends Murder Is Committed Within the Holy Sanctuary.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 28, 1872.

George Webb was shot and killed, and James Ard and David Hamilton wounded, on Saturday last, in an affray at Salem church, five miles from Independence, Mo. It appears that a bitter family feud existed between the Webb and Ard families, and as both parties belonged to the Salem Baptist church an effort was made to settle the difficulty through the influence of the church. With this view a meeting of the respective friends of the family was held on Saturday, and while efforts were being made to bring the differences between Ard and Webb a few angry words were spoken, whereupon Webb shot and wounded one of Ard's brothers. In attempting to stop the fight David Hamilton was wounded and Webb killed, the latter receiving seven bullets in his body.

IRON SHIP BUILDING AT ST. LOUIS.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Feb. 28, 1872.

Articles of association have been filed in the office of the secretary of State of the Western Iron Ship and Boatman's Building Company, the business to be carried on in the city of St. Louis, the objects being to build wharves and docks, ships, steamboats, barges and other water craft. The capital stock is placed at $3,000,000, and may be increased by a vote of the stockholders to any amount not exceeding $5,000,000. Among the directors are ex-Governor Stisard Lee, R. Shrock, Captain E. W. Gould, Captain John S. Bonnger, L. W. Fox and other prominent citizens.

MUSIC AND THE DRAMA.

"Il Trovatore."

The short season of German opera inaugurated at this house by the Fabbri troupe came to a close last evening before a pretty large audience. The well worn opera of Verdi, which is as familiar to the ears of the New York public as a nursery rhyme, "Yankee Doodle" or "Shoo, Fly," was the work selected to give a relish to the season. Mme. Fabbri and Mme. Clara Peri won enthusiastic applause in the roles of Leonora and Azucena, and were honored with numerous encores. Mr. Muller repeated his former successes as the Count, and gave a fine rendering to the "Il Balen." He is evidently the popular favorite in the company. The Manrico of Mr. Bernard was very bad, partly owing to an evident indisposition and hoarseness, and partly to an innate tendency to shout. This is a serious drawback in German opera, that nearly every singer thinks that it is his or her duty to depend entirely on the power of lungs without reference to expression or color. They believe in carrying the ears of the audience by storm, and not their hearts. During the season that has just passed Mme. Fabbri, Mme. Peri, Mme. Elzer and Mr. Muller were the only artists that proved themselves worthy of praise. An opera company cannot be organized at a moment's notice, and no amount of kettle drums, trombones or shouting can cover up defects.

The Grand Opera House.

A card from Mr. Cole, the lessee of this establishment, appears in to-day's HERALD, announcing the cessation of the performances there by the German Opera Company by reason of the report of the stage manager that he will require the immediate free use of the stage for the proper production of the spectacular piece, "Lalla Rookh," by the 11th of March. This, of course, will not interfere with the Sunday musical festivals, which will be continued as usual. For over eight months incidental references have been made to the new piece from the pen of the author of "The Twelve Temptations," which latter spectacle had so protracted a run at the same theatre a year or two ago, and it is therefore safe to predict that if public anticipation concerning the merits of "Lalla Rookh" be realized a similar, if not greater, success is in store for it. It is but just to say that, at least so far as can be judged by the material now ready and that portion in an incomplete state, the dresses, banners, properties and general accessories are of the most costly, ingenious, appropriate and elegant description, and come fully up to every expectation. The scenery, painted by Messrs. Marston, Schell, Dayton, De Ritter, Razoni, Grieser and assistants, a synopsis of which is appended, and of which there is eighteen full sets, is most artistically finished and will serve to convey, when having the advantage of proper stage setting and the brilliant effects of lights with their well-blended variegated colors, a just estimate of the luxurious grandeur of the oriental clime, descriptions of which are so prolific in Moore's immortal poem. Act first will reveal the Temple of the Sun, with its horse of fire and mystic caverns; the city of Delphi by sunlight, and the palace of the Emperor of Aurungzebe. Act second will present a gorgeous palace in India; the grove of palms on the borders of the great desert, by moonlight; and the Lake of Pearls, by sunlight. Act three gives the illuminated palm and cedar groves. Act four will open with a view of the Valley of the Nightingales, by moonlight; then, in succession, the Royal Tent of Lallah Rookh, the Lake of Terror, near the Cataract of the Ganges, and a view of Bucharias City, with a burning mosque. Act fifth and last will give a grand panorama and a view of a sinking city, ending with a gorgeous transformation scene, called "The Rose Fairies, or, Bucharias' Gem." The plot of the piece is quite faithful to that of the familiar story of the delicious poem, and therefore an additional interest beyond scenic and mechanical effects is afforded, which, it is to be hoped, will not be marred by indifferent interpretation. Besides the intensity of interest of the piece proper, with its elegant mountings and superb scenery, a very full grand operatic chorus has been engaged, Tissington's orchestra augmented, and a *corps de ballet* organized that promises to excel its predecessors.

A Colored Prima Donna.

"Yes," said the Rev. Mr. Butler, the pastor of St. Mark's colored Methodist Episcopal church in this city, to a HERALD reporter on Tuesday evening at Steinway Hall, "you will find in this hall the *crème de la crème* of negrodom, and no mistake; all in full dress, too." There were 2,150 colored people of various shades in Steinway Hall on Tuesday night to listen to the sweet carolings of Miss Nelly Brown and Miss Marianne Williams, the two African-American prima donne who have lately magnetized fashionable colored society in this city by their musical talents. Miss Nelly Brown is an octoroon, with very handsome features and a really sweet voice, of rather small compass at present, but capable of fine cultivation. Miss Brown has enjoyed the attention of the highest colored families of New York for some time past, and she is now about to proceed to Italy to study music and improve her voice under the great masters of song. She has all the material to become a fine singer, and will no doubt succeed in her laudable effort to ascend the ladder of fame.

Miss Williams sang Bauda's "L'Estasi d'Amore," and in several concerted pieces, and displayed remarkable talents as a vocalist. The other "artists" were Miss B. Washington, Miss Lato, Messrs. J. Luca and A. C. Taylor and Professor O. Fox. A more enthusiastic or appreciative audience it would be difficult to find.

Metropolitan Gossip.

A thief was lately caught breaking into a song. He had already got through the first two bars, when a policeman came up and hit him with a slave.

Mrs. John Wood and her dramatic company sailed from Liverpool on the 17th inst. for this city. The company will open at Niblo's Garden on March 4, in Brougham's burlesque of "Pocahontas."

Harry Palmer, of Niblo's Garden, sails for Europe on March 2. He takes with him Beckstherwood, the machinist of the theatre, to get some new mechanical ideas for the production of a new piece shortly.

The forthcoming drama of "Chicago, Before, During and After the Fire," which Josh Hart will shortly produce at the Comique, is said to be one of the most exciting plays ever placed on the metropolitan boards.

The Vokes family, who were engaged in England by Colonel Brown for Robert Butler, of the Union Square Theatre, close their London engagement at Drury Lane theatre on March 24, and sail from Liverpool for America on March 30, by the China, accompanied by Wardle Corbyn as business manager. They will make their American debut at the Union Square Theatre on April 15.

The New York correspondent of the St. Louis *Republican* says that "Mlle. Sassi, of the 'crook,' is doing the nastiest thing on the stage yet heard of. To a slimy, creeping tune she glides up to an urn of flowers, and draws therefrom a hideous, cussed snake. She shakes the torpid wretch until he slowly unfoids himself, runs his forky tongue out, and wags his scaly tail in long-metre fashion. Then Sassi dances and winds the clammy worm about her neck, and if there's a man in the audience wants to make her acquaintance after exhibition it's some man that owns an anaconda and wants to have it educated. I'm happy to add that Saturday the snake bit her hand, and it was red and inflamed at night. Though the serpent's fangs have been unfortunately drawn, it is not likely to prove dangerous."

ART MATTERS.

Sale of Mr. Stewart's Collection of Pictures.

The collection of paintings which attracted so much notice during the past week at the Leavitt Art Rooms were last night sold at auction. Although the attendance at the sale was large the prices realized were not so high as on late occasions. Many really valuable paintings were sold far below their value, and most of the minor pictures went at very reasonable prices. Those who desire to add to their collections will no doubt find the opportunity offered by the continuance of the sale tonight an excellent occasion to obtain good examples on easy terms and cught not to lose the chance. The following are the prices realized by some of the prominent pictures:—Bierstadt's "Jungfrau," $250; Frazer's "Bonguey," $440; Voriat's "Chicnes and Poverty," $200; Noel's Souvenir de Trappe," $125; Dillen's "Skating Scene, $430; Verboeckhoven's "Landscape and Animals," $1,175; C. Becker's "Enrico Fruni," $375; Belanger's "Sorrento," $340; Casilear's "Lake George," $250; Diem's "Grand Canal, Venice," $300; Williams' "Lucy and Attendant," $1,200; Brillouin's "Landlord's Portrait," $420; Frere's "Going to School," $175; Herrmann's "Philosophy of the Bath," $300; Finger's "Fruit," $600; Webb's "Return the Sergeant," $625; Tschaggeny's "Farm Horses at Work," $340; Amberg's "Lorenzo," $400; Bolton's "Proportionate," $475; Fitchet's "Stewart," $410; Hubner's "First Good of Matrimony," $320; Koek-Kock's "Amsterdam," $330; Schlesinger's "Master is Coming," $620; Guillemin's "Interior of a Cottage in Brittany," $475; Jacquesch's "After the Bath," $350; Jacquesch's "Spring Flowers," $300; Shattuck's "Moonscape in New England," $400. The Williams collection brought a medley like $30,000—a sum considerably less than it had been expected to realize. The Knoedler collection will be sold tonight, it constituting the principal part of the important sale, the details of which we have already noticed.

BENEVOLENCE OF THE JAPANESE.

CHICAGO, Ill., Feb. 28, 1872.

Just before leaving for the East, last evening, the Japanese Embassy presented Mayor Medill with the handsome sum of $5,000 for the relief of the poor of Chicago.

REAL ESTATE MATTERS.

Lupton, Davis & Clark report having sold the lot 25x100 on the north side of Third street, Brooklyn, between Sixth and Seventh avenues, for $5,000. Also a plot of twenty-four lots, corner of Fifth avenue and President street, Brooklyn, for $[illegible]. Also a plot, President street, for $[illegible]. Also [illegible] Bedford avenue, New York, for $[illegible].

THE STATE CAPITAL.

A Substitute for the Seventy's Charter in Prospect.

The Judiciary Committee to Recommend the Impeachment of Judges Barnard and Cardozo.

A Corner in Rapid Transit Stock.

Proposed Bill to Repeal the Usury Laws and Fix the Rate of Interest.

Confirmation of Dr. Vanderpoel as Health Officer.

Imprisonment for Debt To Be Abolished—The Judges to Appoint Clerks of Courts and Stenographers—A Bill Limiting Expenditures in Brooklyn and Creating a Bureau of Public Charities—Assemblyman Husted and the Herald—The Drug Clerks' Bill Passed.

Amendments to the Erie Classification Repeal Bill—Alexander Frear Ousted.

ALBANY, Feb. 28, 1872.

The scene in the House last night and the passage of the Charter of the Committee of Seventy still continue to be the subject for conversation and for whatever excitement exists. The excitement at most is very little, and, like the calm after the storm, have been the proceedings of the House to-day. The Seventyites who have remained are, of course, in high glee, but so high that they seem to disagree among themselves. John Wheeler, who has really done most of the working and talking for the charter, is justly proud of his success, and predicts the speedy and safe passage of the bill through the Senate. To-day I learn, however, that there is a probability of some bad stumbling blocks being placed in its way. The Committee on Cities have decided to give a hearing to parties opposed to the bill on Tuesday afternoon. Spencer was put on the *qui vive* on learning this, and immediately telegraphed to his friend, ex-Mayor Opdyke, to come up here and speak against it. I have also heard that Tiemann, on being asked what was to be done with the charter, laconically and sharply answered, "Kill it, damn it!" It is rumored, also, that there will be, in the meantime, a charter presented in the Senate to suit the ideas of many who are not satisfied with that of the Seventy.

THE RAPID TRANSIT FOLKS

are here in full force, and, it seems, have formed a sort of joint corporation, something on the plan proposed by John Foley. The Arcade, Central, Underground and others, except the Beach Broadway Bore, have combined and are willing that the Legislature should pass a law allowing them to decide among themselves the plan they desire. This leaves but two underground measures before the committee, and from the manner in which the committeemen and others talk the beach Pneumatic plan seems to be the favorite, and, having no viaduct to contend with this year, the pushers of this project are quite elated at the prospect of their success. There are several "elevated" projects still hanging, and it is expected that all will be finally settled to-morrow.

The friends of the Committee of Seventy's Charter assembled in full force in the upper chamber this morning expecting that the matter would come up for consideration, but they were disappointed.

WEISMANN'S DRUG BILL

to regulate the practice of pharmacy and the sale of poisons in the city of New York, was taken up and passed, Chatfield being the only Senator present who voted against it.

THE HUDSON RIVER AND CENTRAL RAILROAD

Company reported, in reply to the resolution of inquiry, that they run fourteen passenger and four freight trains each way daily, that the average rate of speed is fifteen miles per hour, and that within the last two years the number of accidents was nineteen and the number of deaths three.

THE NEW HEALTH OFFICER.

At twelve o'clock noon the Senate went into executive session to consider the appointment of Dr. Vanderpoel to be Health Officer of the port of New York in place of Dr. Carnochan. The appointment of Dr. Vanderpoel was confirmed, and he will enter upon his duties without delay.

IMPROVEMENTS IN BROOKLYN.

A bill presented by Senator Murphy provides that the authorities of the city of Brooklyn shall not issue any bonds or other obligations, or in any manner loan its credit beyond the sum of $2,500,000 outstanding at any one time for local improvements, or under the act giving powers to the Water Board beyond the sum of $2,200,000. Any officer violating this act will be guilty of misdemeanor, and liable to imprisonment for not less than one year and to pay a fine of not less than $1,000 for each offence. The bill was referred.

CITY RAILROADS.

When the bill proposing to allow John T. Mills to run a line of horse railroad cars over the old Bull's Head stage line came up, Mr. Bowen offered an amendment providing for the sale of the franchise at auction to the highest bidder, in the usual manner. It was suggested that in the absence of Mr. Benedict, who had charge of the measure, the subject be postponed, and accordingly it was passed over. Mr. Tiemann remarked that when the proper time came he would tell all about the matter, and would show that the Legislature had nothing whatever to do with it. It was simply a question between Mr. Mills, the former proprietor of the stage line, and the Harlem Railroad Company, and if he had suffered any injustice at the hands of the company he should seek redress from them.

Cady's Crosstown Railroad bill was recommitted to the committee for clerical corrections.

In the Assembly to-day a large amount of business was done, although no bills of any general interest were presented except one by Javord in regard to the

USURY LAWS.

The bill repeals all existing usury laws and makes it illegal to charge more than seven per cent except where a written contract has been made in which any amount of interest may be agreed upon. This is a very ingenious looking "reform" measure, but it will be seen that it does not make any improvement on existing laws.

The Judiciary Committee reported the testimony in

THE JUDICIARY INVESTIGATION

to-day and had it sent to the printer, with the most severe injunctions as to its sacred character and the necessity of inviolable secrecy in the matter. The testimony is quite voluminous, and covers seemingly some two hundred pages of legal cap. Although the examination has not been concluded I learn from private sources that the committee will recommend the impeachment of both Judges Barnard and Cardozo. They have found nothing but what they could most highly commend in connection with the management of the County Clerk's office and the careful and ready manner in which the business there has been conducted as far as they have yet learned.

THE FREAR-KILIAN CASE

came before the House to-day on the report of the committee, which is, of course, in favor of awarding the seat now held by Frear to the contestant, Kilian. Messrs. D. B. Hill and Mosher, the minority of the committee, dissented from the report, but, of course, their dissent amounts to nothing, and it is pretty safe to assert that some kind of legislation will know "Charter Alexander" no more, at least this season.

THE MANHATTAN GAS COMBINATION

was knocked in the head to-day, as Senator Hasbrouck succeeded finally in having it laid on the table. As this is for a company which, it is claimed, will materially injure the business of the consumers in New York city, it will be sorely fought, and the appeal of the poor sufferers may yet be heard.

CONSOLIDATED CIVIL CODE BILL

was under consideration in the Assembly Judiciary Committee to-day, and will, it is said, be reported some time during the coming week. The bill, as now contemplated, gives to the judges the right to appoint their clerks of the courts and takes the power away from the sheriffs.

COOK'S BOGUS COUNTERFEIT BILL

has been considered in the Judiciary Committee and Manhattan Club, and the action of the committee has been directed against all those opposed to the provisions of the bill, and an adjournment of the hearing taken. It will probably be acted upon early in the present or the coming week, and such interests were present with the business in charge, namely, the plate makers and manufacturers, it will be found strongly opposed.

THE SENATE TRUST COMMITTEE

gave a hearing to several citizens from various parts of the state, among them a number of railroad men, on the subject of the bill to prevent combinations of railroads, which passed the Legislature last year. Most of the speakers favored the proposition for local reasons, that is, to submit the question of the constitutionality of the law to the courts and to avoid a long and costly suit.

The Wing and Hawes Congressional case was taken up in the Senate this afternoon, and the majority report in favor of Wing was adopted by a vote of 17 to 14. Senator Lamphere, of Kings county, moved to recommit the report, but the motion was lost by a vote of 17 to 14. The report was then adopted, and the oath of office was administered to Senator Wing.

Mr. Hadley, from the Committee on Railroads, reported against the Commissioners' Bridge bill, and the report was made the special order for Monday next.

The following bills were adopted:—

Bills granting and confirming land commissioners' titles in Kings county.

Bill to authorize the Commissioners of Navigation to lease piers and bulkheads in Brooklyn, with power to sell or lease the piers and bulkheads.

Adjourned.

THE COMPTROLLER'S PAYMENTS.

Comptroller Green made the following payments yesterday:—

Department of Police, Fire Department [illegible] 1872 [illegible]
Department of [illegible] [illegible]
Department of [illegible] [illegible]
Free Academy, teachers [illegible] 2,000
Trust [illegible] [illegible]
[illegible] [illegible]
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THE COTTON RING.

The Cotton Ring Fully Organized.

Branch Offices in New Orleans, St. Louis and Atlanta.

A Full Corps d'Armee of Lobbyists in Washington.

The United States Asked to Borrow Sixty Odd Millions of Dollars for the Benefit of the Ring—More Government Officials To Be Created—Full Text of the Bill.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27, 1872.

On the 10th inst. the HERALD gave a full account of the formation of a Cotton Ring here in Washington, and foretold the introduction of a bill in Congress "to refund certain taxes collected by the government of the United States on raw cotton during the years 1865, 1866, 1867 and 1868." On the 19th inst. the Cotton Ring introduced its bill, precisely as was foretold in the HERALD nine days before. The full text will be found further on. This new ring is now fully prepared with all the appliances for lobbying. Eminent and influential law firms in New Orleans, St. Louis and Atlanta, Ga., are engaged in buying claims and transacting the business in the Cotton States, while a full and well-drilled *corps d'armee* of lobbyists is stationed here at Washington to push through the necessary legislation. It is currently reported that Herschel V. Johnson, candidate for Vice President on the democratic ticket with Stephen A. Douglas, is one of the leading spirits in this new cotton combination. Certain it is that able and influential men are in the movement, and it is just as certain that they are

BACKED UP BY MILLIONS UPON MILLIONS OF DOLLARS

of internal tax receipts that will be as good as greenbacks the day the bill in question becomes a law. Altogether the scheme has more strength than was at first believed. It is calculated that the Southern Congressional delegation will go for it nearly solid, which, with the aid that can be obtained from the North, will make it a success.

No account is taken by the ringleaders of the incalculable injury their success would inflict upon the country. They do not reflect nor do they care if bills for refunding the income and all other internal revenue taxes follow as a matter of course. This whole business of

REFUNDING THE WAR TAXES

is pernicious in the extreme. We ought to shut right down here and now. Secretary Boutwell, with all his blunders, is entitled to all credit for the obstacles he has placed in the way of refunding the internal revenue tax on State officers' salaries. The occasion which called our Internal Revenue Bureau into existence has passed away. Some of the taxes collected were terribly oppressive, and some perhaps unconstitutional; but they are all paid and the nation is yet in debt over two thousand millions, and new claims constantly coming in. Let us, therefore, stop refunding, at least until we get out of debt. The following is the full text of the cotton ring's statement of their own case:—

A BILL to refund certain taxes collected by the government of the United States on raw cotton during the years 1865, 1866, 1867 and 1868.

Whereas large sums of money have been collected by the United States as a tax on raw cotton since the close of the late civil war, under the provisions of the internal revenue laws of the United States; and whereas, after two solemn arguments, the Judges of the Supreme Court of the United States were equally divided in opinion as to the validity of said taxes and the constitutionality of the laws under which they were collected; and whereas the same were unequal and unjust in their operation, and have been repealed, so far as regards said cotton tax; and whereas said tax laws, in their practical operation, have not had the effect contemplated when they were enacted, of imposing a burden upon the consumers, but said taxes have fallen exclusively on producers who, while paying this especial tax on cotton, and which, at that time, were especially burdensome, have, in common with citizens of the several States, paid their due proportion of all other taxes; and whereas no other raw agricultural product of any of the States has ever been so taxed, even during war; therefore,

Be it enacted, by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, that restitution shall be made of all moneys collected as taxes under and by virtue of the several acts of Congress, and regulations pursuant thereto, imposing a tax on raw cotton after the proclamations of the President of the United States removing all restriction from trade throughout the several States of the United States, dated June 13 and 24, A. D. 1865, and the said restitution shall be made as hereinafter provided.

SEC. 2.—That a commission shall be appointed by the President, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, to consist of three discreet and competent persons, who shall have power to examine, hear and determine all claims and applications, under the provisions of this act, and when found just and correct to direct the payment of the same to the person or persons legally entitled thereto, their executors, administrators or assigns.

SEC. 3.—That said commission shall hold its sessions in the city of Washington; shall continue in office for the term of two years from the date of their commission; shall set upon its own adjournments, and a majority of the members shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business. Before entering on their duties said commissioners shall take and subscribe an oath to support the constitution of the United States and faithfully to perform the duties prescribed by this act. In case of vacancy by death, resignation or otherwise, the President shall appoint some discreet and competent person to fill the same.

SEC. 4.—That said commission shall have power to make and publish rules of evidence and rules of proceedings for its government and the transaction of business and the adjudication of cases before it, and shall have power to call on any department of the government or any subordinate officer of the same for information, for copies of books, papers and other proofs in their custody or under their control, or for any books, papers or proofs remaining in or under the control of former or present officers of the government containing entries concerning said taxes, with the names of parties paying said taxes, and the amount or amounts paid. When original internal collected receipts or tax moneys and other books cannot be produced, no copy of the same certified under the seal of the board to hold, or said books or vouchers to show the payment of the tax claimed, the commissioners may admit the evidence of witnesses under oath, taken under such rules and regulations as they may adopt, but when the originals or copies of the same, certified under their rules, are produced, they shall be deemed conclusive.

SEC. 5.—That said commissioners shall designate one of their number to act as chairman, and his signature shall be the attestation of all process, proceedings and copies and said commission shall have power to summon witnesses, and to enforce their attendance in any part of the United States through the United States marshals or battles specially appointed by the commission to discharge such duties, and to issue subpoenas duces tecum, and writs of attachment, to compel the production of any books, papers, vouchers or other documents or written evidence pertaining to the payment of any tax collected on said tax which may be in the possession of any public officer or other person; and any person who shall refuse to obey any legal subpoena, attachment, order or summons issuing from said commission shall be subject to such pains and penalties as the Circuit and District Courts of the United States may inflict in cases of similar contempt. And it is hereby declared that all books, papers, vouchers (private receipts excepted) and other documents pertaining to the collection of said cotton tax heretofore, now or hereafter in the hands of public officers or other persons, are the property of the government of the United States, and are hereby made subject to the order or control of the commission named in this act; and any person who shall wantonly or maliciously secrete, deface, erase, mutilate or destroy any book, paper, voucher, receipt or other official evidence of the payment or collection of said tax, or any part thereof, shall be deemed guilty of felony, and, on conviction in any court of competent jurisdiction, shall be imprisoned for not less than one year nor more than three years.

SEC. 6.—That whenever in their discretion it may be deemed expedient, said commission may require the testimony to be taken in the Circuit Courts of the United States; and when in the judgment of said commission it is necessary, they are hereby clothed with power to send for persons and papers.

SEC. 7.—That it shall be the duty of the Secretary of the Treasury to cause bonds of the United States to be prepared in sums of $500 each and $1,000 each, payable at the Treasury of the United States to bearer, at the end of forty years from date, in gold, bear no interest at the rate of four and a half per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, to be signed and authenticated in the manner directed and provided in section three of an act entitled "An act to authorize the issue of United States notes, and for the redemption or funding thereof, and for funding the floating debt of the United States," approved February 25, 1862, which bonds, so authenticated, shall be by him delivered to the person or persons to whom the commissioners shall have made an award, or to his, her or their administrators, executors or assigns, in payment of such claim as said board shall allow on the presentation of such claim or claims certified by the chairman of said board, provided that when any such claims are for a less sum than the aggregate commutation of bonds, or an excess in value of such commutation of bonds, and above the exact amount of a bond, commutation for the said amount, payable to the order of the claimants, be assigned, and be issued by the Secretary of the Treasury, which said bonds, when presented to the Treasurer of the United States, shall be redeemed in the manner provided for authorizing and providing for the issue of a new certificate bond. All claims not to be the chairman of the commission shall draw interest from the date of such certification until the same are exchanged for bonds as above provided. The faith of the United States is hereby pledged for the due payment of said bonds and the redemption of the principal and interest thereof, and the same shall be exempt from taxation, as is the bonds of the United States.

SEC. 8.—That the clerks of the States in which cotton is produced have not received their proportionate share of clerks, that is, a clerk in each county, and the same proportion of clerks to the number of bales produced, and the same pay thereto, and that the clerks receive the same pay for making up the tax returns as the clerks receive for the same work in the sixth district of Louisiana, and that the same be paid out of the appropriation for the expenses of the internal revenue service of the United States.

SEC. 9.—That all laws and parts of laws and regulations inconsistent with the provisions of this act, in so far as they conflict with the same, are hereby repealed.

It will be observed that much stress is placed upon the fact that cotton is the raw material, which it, in fact, is not more so than is the grain of which flour has to be ground before it is "raw material." Cast iron is a "raw" product, but it is the knife maker, but it is the finished product of the steel manufacturer. So bolted cotton is the "raw" material of which the Cotton Ring claim, [illegible] that the act of Southern secession [illegible] "raw material." Theory must be equal in the extreme.

MORE OF THE CLAIMS.

It will be observed that the Cotton Ring is now hard at work for an increase of government officials, Commissioners, with most extraordinary powers, [illegible] clerks, &c., with commutation salaries, and provision for an government expenses as a part of the claim. The enterprising Ring leaders see that the cotton tax in question is not so much for one instant to reflect that the United States is not only without a single dollar of its own, but it is over two thousand million dollars in debt, so that, in fact, the government is asked to borrow more money to refund the cotton tax in order that a tribe of speculators may pocket sixty odd millions of dollars.

SAVINGS BANK TROUBLES.

The Market Savings Bank.

The ceremony of proving the claims of depositors is still proceeding at the Market Savings Bank, and yesterday a large number filed the necessary affidavits. Mr. Worth, the Receiver, it is claimed, is working indefatigably to realize upon the assets as much as possible, but so far no positive per centum that depositors are likely to secure has been arrived at. It will be recollected that among the debtors is Charles G. Patterson, who borrowed $10,000 from Conklin on twenty-two ($1,000) shares of the Derby Coal Company of Pennsylvania. The Receiver yesterday threw these securities upon the market so as to realize the amount of the loan, and a forced sale at the auction rooms of Adrian H. Muller, 111 Broadway, was advertised to take place. It appears, however, that Mr. Patterson, claiming that the loan was secured from Conklin individually, denies the power of the Receiver to sell them, especially as they are not likely to bring their full market value, and threatens to prosecute Mr. Worth. When the item was reached on the catalogue of sales the auctioneer adjourned the sale until next Wednesday week, March 6, and gave public notice that as no protest had been made against the sale he would positively put up the securities on the day named. It is probable that some understanding will be arrived at between Mr. Patterson and the Receiver in the interim.

The Bowling Green Savings Bank.

The acceptance by the depositors of the above bank of Henry Smith's proposition to pay $50,000 towards the deficiency in the assets of the bank has met with some opposition on the part of some of the more violent, who insist he ought to be prosecuted criminally. This offer of Mr. Smith is made on condition that he shall be released from all responsibility in the premises, and as the majority are in hand by the action it is likely the money will be forthcoming. Mr. Smith stated yesterday to a HERALD reporter who met him that at no time was he a debtor to the concern; that, on the contrary, it had been indebted to him at one time as high as $100,000; that he has already paid large sums towards making up the losses of the concern, and only made this offer of $50,000 to be relieved of the vexation and annoyance likely to follow in winding up its affairs. He still maintains that he is not morally or legally responsible for the irregularities, but is desirous that all the depositors shall be paid. It is said that proceedings will be commenced against other officers of the bank unless they follow the example of Mr. Smith and make up the deficiency of $283,000.

A RELIGIOUS REVIVAL.

Enthusiastic Meeting in the Greene Street Methodist Episcopal Church Last Evening.

The first of a special series of religious meetings was held last evening in the Greene street Methodist Episcopal church. These meeting are gotten up under the auspices of the National Camp Meeting Association, and will be continued for ten days, with services every afternoon at three o'clock and in the evening at half-past seven. At three o'clock the next two Sabbaths there will be held a real old-fashioned general love feast, in which all are invited to participate. The object of these meetings, as announced in a small circular which has been freely

DISTRIBUTED THROUGHOUT THE CITY,

is "an earnest effort to save the unconverted and to promote the work of God among professors of religion in reference to the doctrine and experience of entire sanctification. They will be conducted by Revs. J. S. Inskip and W. McDonald, assisted by Revs. W. I. Harlow, of Providence Conference; C. Munger, of Maine Conference; W. L. Gray, of Philadelphia Conference; J. E. Searles, B. M. Adams and W. H. Boole, of New York East Conference; L. R. Dunn, of Newark Conference; G. Hughes, of New Jersey Conference; A. McLean, of New York Conference; S. Coleman, of Troy Conference, and by other eminent members.

Judging from the spirit and interest manifested at the initial meeting last evening the object for which these good men are laboring will be peculiarly blessed. There was a large number of persons present, and all seemed to enter, heart and soul, into the work. After an address and exhortation by Mr. Inskip, and during the singing of the following verse of the good old Methodist hymn:—

But drops of grief can ne'er repay
The debt of love I owe;
Here, Lord, I give myself away,
'Tis all that I can do,

those who wished the prayers of the meeting were invited to come forward and kneel at the altar. In response to this invitation no less than twenty-five gentlemen and eighteen ladies—forty-three in all—"went forward."

COLLEGE OF PHYSICIANS AND SURGEONS.

Sixty-fifth Annual Commencement at Steinway Hall—Address to the Graduates by Rev. Henry Ward Beecher.

The sixty-fifth annual commencement of the College of Physicians and Surgeons took place last evening at Steinway Hall. The proceedings were opened by prayer, Rev. Mancius S. Hutton, D. D., officiating.

Edward Delafield, M. D., conferred the degree of Bachelor of Medicine on the following gentlemen:—Samuel Swift, Ph. B., Valedictorian; Daniel S. Adams, New Hampshire; Samuel S. Banks, New York; George W. Barlow, New Jersey; Guy C. Bayley, New York; James W. Belvin, Virginia; Edward S. Blanchard, Nova Scotia; Peter A. E. Boetzkes, New York; Thomas S. Bradfield, New Jersey; William G. Budington, New York; Wm. F. Bull, A. B., New York; Wm. Busse, New York; Norman Call, Maine; Henry Cammerer, A. B., Cuba; Pantaleon Candidus, New York; Thomas A. Carson, New York; Henry S. Carter, A. B., Ohio; Harvey H. Chase, Indiana; Dennis Church, Jr., New York; Franklin C. Clark, A. B.; Frederick H. Conger, Wisconsin; Richard B. Coutant, New York; Charles L. Dey, New Jersey; Gabriel R. Diaz, Cuba; Charles R. Doane, New York; Cort Du Bois, A. M., New York; William W. Durden, Mississippi; Bernard Ellis, New York; John E. Emrich, New York; Matilas Figueira, Portugal; Martin J. Fleming, A. M., New York; George C. Gage, Alabama; James A. Gladstone, New York; William Gurden, New York; George W. Hale, A. B., Maine; Henry P. Harvey, Mississippi; Jacob J. Healy, New Hampshire; Joseph Heintz, Jr., New York; Joseph J. Henna, Porto Rico; Edward K. Herschel, New York; Charles Hitchcock, Ph. B., Rhode Island; Wyatt Hollingsworth, Alabama; Allan C. Hutton, New York; Samuel B. Jones, Massachusetts; William R. Kismouth, New York; John D. Kline, Mississippi; Louis G. Knox, New York; Henry A. Kornemann, New York; John Martin, A. M., New York; Martin S. Matheny, Tennessee; Alfred W. Maynard, New York; William P. Meagher, Nova Scotia; John A. Montgomery, New York; William O. Moore, New York; Joseph V. Roll, New York; David H. Mount, A. M., New Jersey; Dennis D. Mulcahy, New York; Thomas Naughton, A. B., New York; Alfred E. Regensburger, New York; Joel H. Rieger, North Carolina; Charles D. C. Romondt, New Jersey; John H. Seabury, New York; Wellington B. Searles, New York; George L. Sinclair, Nova Scotia; Andrew B. Somers, Vermont; M. Frederick Squier, New Jersey; Samuel D. Stilwell, New York; Samuel Swift, Ph. B., New York; Thomas J. Thompson, A. B., New York; John R. Toomson, New York; Cornelius G. Trow, A. B., Massachusetts; Charles P. Vale, Connecticut; John S. Webb, New York; Henry R. Weisner, Nova Scotia; Nicholas Wilkinson, A. M., New York; Robert B. Wilson, New York; Enoch D. Woodbridge, A. B., Vermont; Carl H. A. Weidner.

Professor Dalton then announced the names of the successful competitors for the different prizes awarded to those who had written theses. He said that this year, although there were only a few prizes, nearly every one of the theses written deserved honorable mention, both for scientific and literary merit.

Prize for best thesis to William T. Bull, A. B., of New York; second prize to Peter A. E. Boetzkes, The following have deserved honorable mention:—Edward K. Herschel, New York; George C. Sage, Alabama; John H. Seabury, T. Naylor Bradford and Cornelius S. Crowe. The "Oliver" prize, a case of surgical instruments, was awarded to Mr. F. W. Chaplin, of New York. The prize of the Alumni Association, a check for $400, was given to French P. Foster, M. D., of the class of '62.

After some very fine music by Grafulla's Seventh Regiment Band, the Rev. Henry Ward Beecher delivered one of his most happy, original and extempore efforts. He remarked that the common people had of late years become more and more enlightened, and in a great many senses every man was his own doctor and his own lawyer, and the profession must rise with the times, as the ministerial one had found itself compelled to do. They must teach mental and moral philosophy and the doctrine of hygiene. Fresh air and the glorious orb of day had come to be known as the great elements of health. He wished to pay the profession in general a high compliment on their services during our late war, when, warding death and danger, the disciples of Esculapius were always in the breach dealing comfort and succor to the afflicted brave.

Samuel Swift, M. D., delivered a feeling valedictory, and benediction was offered by the Rev. Mancius S. Hutton.

SCRANTON COAL SALE.

Drexel & Co. yesterday sold at auction 700,000 tons of Scranton coal. In some brands it will be seen there was considerable competition and prices ranged lower than at previous auctions, while a few kinds commanded an advance. The following are the comparative rates at the last and present sales:—

	Tons.	February 22.		February 29.	
Lyons	3,000	$5 40	a $5 45	$5 35	a $5 42½
Steamboat	3,000			5 70	a 5 75
Grant	3,000	2 55	a 2 60	2 55	a 2 75
Erie	16,000	2 35½	a 2 70	2 45	a 2 60
Lehigh	6,000	4 00	a 4 25	4 05	a 4 17½
Pearson	15,000	3 50	a 3 55	3 45	a 3 55

OBITUARY.

Very Rev. Henry B. Coskery, V. G. of Baltimore.

The HERALD yesterday announced the death of the Very Rev. Henry Benedict Coskery, Vicar General of the archdiocese of Baltimore. He died about six o'clock last Tuesday evening, at his residence on Paca street in that city, of typhoid pneumonia. Father Coskery was born on the 13th of July, 1808, in Middleburg, Carroll county, Md., and was consequently sixty-three years of age. He received his early education in Middleburg, and from his earliest youth was remarkable for his devoted piety. He was almost a mere child when he formed the determination of entering the priesthood. In 1826 he commenced his studies at St. Mary's Theological Seminary, in Baltimore, where he remained nearly seven years a zealous student. He was ordained priest in 1834 at the age of twenty-six, and immediately afterward was ordered to the parish of Relair, Harford county, where he remained nearly four years. In the fall of 1838 Father Coskery, who had made an enviable reputation for himself as one of the most promising young priests in the archdiocese, was sent by Archbishop Eccleston to the parish of Ellicott's Mills, and there established St. Paul's church. Father Coskery labored eleven years in the parish of St. Paul's, and so successfully that Archbishop Eccleston recognized his worth to the Church by enlarging his field and transferring him in 1849 to the Cathedral in Baltimore, where two years afterward he was made Vicar General of the archiepiscopal see. Upon the death of Archbishop Eccleston Father Coskery was made Administrator of the archdiocese until the appointment of Archbishop Kenrick. He was appointed bishop of Portland, Me., in 1857, by His Holiness Pope Pius IX., but gracefully declined the offer, preferring to remain in Maryland, where he felt assured his services to God and his Church would be of much greater benefit. Upon the death of Archbishop Kenrick Father Coskery was again appointed Administrator and was also named for the same office as the late Archbishop Spalding just previous to that prelate's death. Father Coskery was a ripe scholar, an able logician and a theologian of undoubted reputation. He was very unpretentious in his manner and was universally popular. As Vicar General he was one of the most zealous and efficient that ever filled that office in Maryland.

The deceased priest was laid in state at four o'clock yesterday afternoon in the same room in which the late Archbishop was laid only a few weeks since. The funeral will take place from the Cathedral at nine o'clock to-morrow morning, preparations for which are being made, of a very imposing character. He will be buried in the Cathedral cemetery. A grand requiem mass will be sung at the Cathedral at eight o'clock to-morrow, Friday, morning, after which the funeral sermon will be preached by the Rev. Father Dougherty. Bishop Whelan, as senior bishop of the archdiocese, has the appointment of an Administrator of the See, but it is understood that he waived the right, and a few days ago telegraphed for instructions from Rome. Yesterday a telegram was received from the Pope appointing Rev. Father Dougherty, the Chancellor of the archdiocese, as Administrator pending the translation of an archbishop.

Captain Robert M. Dysart.

Captain Robert M. Dysart, of Lebanon, Pa., while on a visit to this city, was taken sick, and died on the 25th of February, from illness resulting from a wound received during the war for the Union. Captain Dysart was born in Lancaster, Pa., January 18, 1837. He entered the Union Army October 8, 1861, as a first lieutenant in the seventy-ninth Pennsylvania Volunteers, under Colonel Hambright; was promoted for gallantry in action to a captaincy, and again to the staff of General Starkweather, Army of the Cumberland, with whom he remained until the close of the war. Captain Dysart was wounded twice. His remains were taken charge of by Abraham Lincoln Post No. 13, Grand Army of the Republic, of this city, Charles F. Spaulding, Commander, and buried in the soldiers' plot at Cypress Hills, the burial services of the Order being conducted by Joseph Forces, Assistant Quartermaster General, Department of New York.

TAMMANY HALL.

Reorganization of the Wigwam—The General Committee and the Regularity of Its Election—The Chiefs in Council.

The committee of twenty-two members of the Tammany Society appointed by the sachems to devise some plan to reorganize if necessary the democratic party of the city, and to take into consideration the regularity of the present General Committee, assembled last evening at headquarters. About half-past seven o'clock a number of prominent local politicians congregated on the stage of the little theatre, and after some preliminary skirmishing, during which the representatives of the Tammany Society quietly entered an adjoining room to abide events, Mr. Harry Genet called the attention of the delegates from the different wards to the objects of the meeting. He said that the committee of the Tammany Society was present to consult with them as to the best possible means of reorganizing the party, and a report would be made to the society. The representatives of the General Committee were:—Edward Burke, William Furlong, D. Finn, Thomas Coman, Terence Duffy, Judge Dowling, Judge Shandley, Michael Norton, William Bergen, Judge Scott, Henry Woltman, Henry W. Genet, William Healy, James Gibbons, John Tully, Richard Flanagan, John Reilly, Augustus Schell, William Hitchman, M. Roach, Lawrence D. Kiernan and John Masterson. Mr. Genet suggested the propriety of sending in a sub-committee to confer with the society, and after some discussion Messrs. Hitchman, L. D. Kiernan, Dodge and Tully were requested to represent the General Committee.

In reply to the chairman and other members of the society committee Mr. Hitchman explained that the General Committee organized last January had been regularly constituted, as the call had been made in conformity with the usual custom. The certificates of inspectors, he said, had not been regarded altogether as conclusive evidence of election, as the forms had been changed. The sub-committee having presented the case, the society committee reported progress, and announced that the regularity of each ward delegation would be investigated. The delegates from the several wards then proceeded one by one to prove their claims before the society committee, the members of which will make a general report to the Tammany Society on Monday evening next.

LEAP YEAR.

Once more the ladies, God bless them! will have the privilege of their sex granted them by the arrival of Leap Year. This blessed day, the 29th of February, will be a day upon which pretty girls may propose to young men with perfect impunity and without any outrage to their modesty. It is only once in four years that February can claim twenty-nine days, and this is by an arrangement of the solar system. Old Numas Pompilius, who in his day perfected the Roman Calendar, used the month of February very badly, as he left it three out of every four times without twenty-nine days. That is to say, he arranged that it should have only twenty-nine days, excepting in leap years, when, by the intercalation of a day between the 23d and 24th, it was to have thirty days. This did well enough until the time of Augustus Imperator, who thought—festive old Roman that he was—that the month of August, named after him, should have a thirty-first day added to it in honor of himself, and accordingly he stole a day from poor February, in order to add the dignity of his own month. Now, February could least spare this day, as the new arrangement left it but twenty-eight days; yet, after all, this month is gifted above all others, for the ladies—at least in the leap year—like it best. The old German fashion at balls and parties was to have what is called the "Damen Valse," or Ladies' Waltz danced, the fair sex choosing their male partners without remark. At any party, ball, dinner or other gathering that may occur this day or evening, any lady can choose her partner for the time being, and the choice will be deemed a perfectly proper one. And when the bright moon shines over hill, valley and stream, and when the stars look out of the clear sky with their holy influences, and George and Emily press each other in a fond embrace, sweet vows being whispered and eyes looking love into each other, then if Emily should say to George, in accents low and mild, and with honeyed utterance—"George, dear George, this is leap year—oh, pardon the question—will you have me for better or for worse, until death does us part?" The odds are that George will answer—"I'll take you, Emily, if I have to go my bottom dollar."

RELIGION VS. NEWSPAPERS.

Bishop Foley's Views of the National Press—Moral Poison Spread Broadcast Daily by Half a Million New York Papers—The Catholic Church Without a Friend in Journalism.

Bishop Foley last evening delivered a lecture before the Union Catholic Library Association. In his lecture he said there was scarcely a book or paper published in this country which did not sneer at preaching. Against the true religion they could do but little harm. But there was a more dangerous one. Both the daily and weekly newspapers were spreading poison. No matter was excepted from the charge. The Catholic religion had not a single friend among the daily newspapers. They were continually making the most gross misstatements with regard to the doctrine of infallibility, which has been occupying for some months the attention of the entire world. These statements were more or less circulated by the readers, though their falsity could be readily seen. The New York daily papers, with an aggregate circulation of about half a million, were spreading the poison, and each copy of these papers was read by two or three persons. Besides this the sectarian press was occupied in the same enterprise. This immense power was daily used against the Catholic religion.

ART SALE.

An interesting collection of paintings in which our native school of art is strongly represented will be sold to-day at noon at Schenck's auction rooms, in Liberty street. Among the pictures which please us best we place E. Moran's "New York Bay from the Battery." The picturesque aspect of our great commercial harbor has been admirably caught by this artist, who seems resolved to exhaust all possible views. It had often been to us a matter of astonishment that our local artists should wander in search of the beautiful and interesting and neglect the charming scenes of our rivers and harbors. Mr. Moran promises to do for New York what Ziem has done for Venice, and though our port lacks the historic interest which brooms to old civilization it furnishes material for pictorial effect such as new maritime cities can boast. The grouping of the river boats, with Castle William looming in the distance and the vast luminous gray clouds in the distance, make a charming picture, in which the poetry of the scene has been fully realized. Sonntag has one of his idealistic landscapes, which has been suggested by "As it is and in the Adirondacks." It is full of many-hued richness; in composition good, and in color brilliant. W. Hart's "Autumn" is a pleasing little landscape, in which we see the brilliant autumnal foliage contrasting with cool skies. Brevoort's "Evening on the Coast of Maine" is full of nice, quiet sentiment, and gives us a pleasing effect of light on some rocks in the foreground.

FISK'S CARRIAGES AND HORSES AT AUCTION.

The Sale at the Twenty-fourth Street Stables—What Chariots Cost the Erie King—The Auction Price Outside the Ring—The Late Colonel's Charger—Josie's Jenner—The Prince's Pet Pairey.

At noon yesterday Messrs. Miner, of Chambers street, sold at public auction the horses, carriages, harness and equine paraphernalia of the late James Fisk, Jr. The sale was by order of the widow and executrix, and took place in the spacious stables 344 West Twenty-fourth street. A large concourse of people were assembled—bidders, buyers and idle persons who came from mere curiosity to witness the disposal of the chariots and horses that only a few months ago excited their admiration and envy, as they coursed through the streets of this busy metropolis or bespattered them with the sandy soil of Long Branch. The competition for the possession of many of the articles was pretty brisk; but the prices realized fell very far short of the original cost, the buyers being men who have to earn the money they spend, and consequently cannot afford to scatter quite so lavishly as did the late Prince of Erie. The first lots offered for sale consisted of horse blankets, rubber covers, &c., which brought fair prices, though six button-trimmed street covers that cost $109 each realized only $7 75 a piece; a large black bear robe brought $35, and three white fox robes $195. Three imported English saddles and bridles $71 each, and three military saddles, with equipments, $122. Then the steeds of the late Colonel of the gallant Ninth were trotted out, and the first that was the subject of the auctioneer's eulogy was the chestnut sorrel charger "Blucher," upon which Prince Jim so often rode to bloodless victory. He was knocked down to Mr. Fitzgerald for $305. Mr. A. W. Smith became the owner of a thoroughbred lady's bay saddle horse at an expenditure of $325, and a bay Morgan horse cost an anonymous gentleman $440. A chestnut Morgan horse was purchased by Mr. Ebbitts for $460, and a pair of black carriage horses by Mr. Harding for $1,030. The gorgeous satin-lined clarence, which cost Fisk $4,000, was bought by Mr. Elbury for $1,350. A set of six-in-hand harness, with gold mountings, realized $250 (cost $3,000). Mr. Crawford became the purchaser of a pair of black horses for $1,000, and W. H. Starin of another pair for $810; the same person also became the possessor of a Concord built phaeton for $460 (cost $1,700). The $1,800 four-in-hand drag, upon the box of which Admiral Fisk used to appear to such advantage, was knocked down to Mr. Metcalf for $480, and the $2,000 six-in-hand drag to the anonymous stranger heretofore alluded to for $450. Shandley & O'Connor, of Newark, bought a pair of stylish gray horses for $540, and Mr. Ackerman another pair for $710. Mr. Henquit became the fortunate possessor of a very handsome clarence at $1,115, and Mr. Comer gained the celebrated $1,750 Portland built sleigh for $300, while the magnificently gold mounted, ivory handled whip that the late Colonel used to wield with such professional dexterity brought only $36. The other articles disposed of realized the following amounts:—One set silver plated harness, $100; set of new four-in-hand white reins, $45; six strings of sleigh bells, $48; set of six-in-hand reins, $21; six saddle turret bells, $70; three swing poles, $27; two collars, $12; five extra lead bars, $79, and four colored sporting pictures, $20. A large number of smaller articles—such as bits, pole chains, carriage covers, photographs of the steamer Plymouth Rock, stable fixtures and the other concomitants of a well organized *notel de cheval*—were then knocked down to purchasers who, judging from appearances, seemed well pleased with their bargains. The total amount realized by the sale was about $12,000.

HORSE NOTES.

The trotting stallion Major Edsall, well known in Orange county, was sold recently by his owner, David Knapp, to J. H. Clark, of Scio, N. Y., for $5,200.

The San Francisco *Chronicle* is responsible for the following:—"It has commonly been supposed that hybrids were incapable of reproduction, but of late years there have been several well authenticated exceptions to the rule. R. B. Woodward, of this city, some two weeks since purchased the four-year old colt of an Oregon mule, and has the same in training for Ryland's circus. It is a genuine curiosity. It is a sorrel animal, standing fourteen hands high, weighs 800 pounds, has the ears of a horse and a tail nearly resembling that of a mule, while in the contour of its head it is more like a zebra than either a horse or a mule. There is no mane at all, and the entire body is covered with a fine, silky, close-curling wool. It is a veritable woolly horse, and no humbug. It was born of a female mule, on the farm of Mr. Dougherty, of Curry county, Oregon. The animal was trotted out for the inspection of a *Chronicle* reporter yesterday by Mr. H. Andrus, at Woodward's Gardens, who says there is no doubt at all of the creature's parentage being as stated above."

PIGEON SHOOTING.

A pigeon match for $200 came off at Virginia, Nevada, on Monday, February 19, between Bradford and Cocking, thirty birds each. The weather was very unfavorable, blowing hard and raining. Bradford won the match, killing twenty-seven to his opponents' twenty-six.

Richard Wood, of Philadelphia, challenges Ira A. Paine to shoot him a match for $250 a side, fifty birds each, twenty-one yards rise, 1½ oz. shot, eighty yards boundary, find and trap for each other; the Rhode Island rules to govern.

A suit has been commenced in the Maine Court against the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, by Ira A. Paine, for interfering with and preventing the pigeon shooting handicap at Fleetwood Park on January 5. Paine claims that the officers of the society broke up the match, and by preventing 1,000 persons from entering the grounds caused him to lose $1,000.

Ward and Bogardus are issuing challenges to each other; but it is doubtful whether these two individuals mean business. Their late match in Canada will suffice for the present.

AQUATICS.

The Biglin Brothers have been matched against Coulter and Cavite for a pair oared race of five miles on the Schuylkill River, at Philadelphia, for $500 a side. The race will come off on the 20th of May.

Arrangements are being made for a national regatta on the Schuylkill River, at Philadelphia, under the auspices of the Schuylkill navy, in the early part of June, about the time of the assembling of the Republican Convention in that city. The prominent races will be those between shells of the different classes, gigs and other boats.

THE GERMAN HOSPITAL AND DISPENSARY.

The Directors of the German Hospital and Dispensary have just issued their annual report, from which it appears that during the past year 718 patients were treated at the hospital—605 males and 113 females. The receipts during the past year amounted to $26,516 93. The expenses were $26,158 65, leaving a balance of $358 34. The hospital is located on Seventy-seventh street and Fourth avenue, and the expenses, since its establishment in 1861, have amounted to $343,326 33. At the German Dispensary, which is located at No. 8 Third street, 18,121 patients were treated during the year, of whom 8,793 were natives of this country, and 10,328 of foreign birth.

DESTRUCTION OF A BROOKLYN CARRIAGE FACTORY.

The carriage factory of Hand & Patterson, 699 Third avenue, took fire between twelve and one o'clock yesterday and was destroyed before the flames could be subdued. The building was a four story structure, and the loss is estimated at $10,000, insured for $6,000 in the Imperial of London. The loss on the stock is $5,000, insured for $2,500 in the Mechanics. The broke on the wheelwright shop, but from what cause has not been learned.

FIRE IN CRAIGVILLE, ORANGE COUNTY.

On Monday night the cotton factory of Mr. Joseph Graves, Craigville, Orange county, was destroyed by fire. Mr. Graves loses about $20,000, which is fully covered by the insurance. Twenty-five persons are thrown out of work in consequence of the fire. A Methodist church, adjoining the building burned, was imperilled, but through the efforts of the firemen was saved with small damage. The cause of the fire is not known.

UTAH AFFAIRS.

The Saints Want To Be Admitted Into the Union.

To Cover Up the Murders of the Past Brigham Will Make Any Concession.

His Emissaries at Washington and Elsewhere.

SALT LAKE CITY, Feb. 16, 1872.

The announcement that there is a probability that the Union Pacific Road will be open to-morrow naturally suggests that the HERALD be furnished with a letter on

THE GENERAL AFFAIRS OF UTAH.

From the first occupancy of this country, even before it became a Territory of the United States, Brigham Young has been fighting for independent sovereignty. His experience has been hitherto such as would have been very discouraging for any ordinary man; but Brigham is no ordinary man, and instead of being cast down and discomforted by defeat, his reverses have only tended to make him the more persevering and determined. When he went to what is now Utah the country west of the Rocky Mountains was Mexican territory, and, knowing the continual confusion that reigned among the descendants of the Montezumas, he anticipated that he could readily establish, without any particular difficulty, the monarchical government of which he and his predecessor had dreamed in Illinois. The unexpected outbreak of war with Mexico and the treaty of Guadalupe Hidalgo in 1848 spoiled that calculation, and Brigham found himself again under the government of the United States.

Before there were 10,000 inhabitants in all the country he called a convention of his leading elders, and on the 5th of March, 1849, "ordained and established a free and independent government," by the name of the State of Deseret.

THE BEGINNING OF BRIGHAM'S HATE.

On the 2d of July following the Legislature of Deseret met and professed the most abject devotion to the government of the Union; paraded their great loyalty, their patriotism and their material progress, and asserted their ability to sustain all the expenses of a State government and asked for admission as a sovereign State. Very properly the prayer was denied, and over the country was extended a Territorial government under the Congressional designation of Utah. This refusal to allow Deseret into the Union was the commencement of Brigham's political hate to the government, and soon after his death Brigham announced from the platform to his believing people that "Old Zack Taylor was weltering in Hell." These were his words, and they are before me now as I write, published in his own official organ.

By the terrible blunder of President Fillmore Brigham Young was appointed Governor of the Territory, and the majority of the federal offices were given to his Mormon brethren. To Brigham this was a sign of weakness, and he flattered himself that the government feared him—a thought which was not without some foundation in fact. It was a blunder then and has had the worst results that could possibly have been anticipated. He grew in self-importance and flourished like a green bay tree by the rivers of waters. He was not only God's vicegerent upon the earth in spiritual matters, but his gubernatorial office was merely the stepping stone to the Presidential chair and the omen of the day when he should rule the United States by the might of his priesthood. All that has transpired in Utah history from that time to the present has been very consistent with his faith and programme.

At almost every meeting of the Legislature there have been petitions to Congress for admission into the Union, but hitherto without effect. With every refusal his hate towards Congress, to the government and to the nation, has increased. In his prayer circles and in endowments he has taught the Saints, both men and women, to pray for the overthrow of the nation; that it might be destroyed and dashed to pieces like a potter's vessel; that it might crumble and decay and be wiped out of national existence, so that the people of God, the Mormons, should build up a kingdom upon its ruins.

THEIR REBELLION.

So fierce was the preaching and so desperate the men who believed it that there was no life safe in Utah that was known to oppose the fanaticism that reigned there up to 1857. Confirmation of this statement is found in the fact that when a small detachment of the army of the United States escorted hither a new Governor and new federal officers Brigham turned out his breth